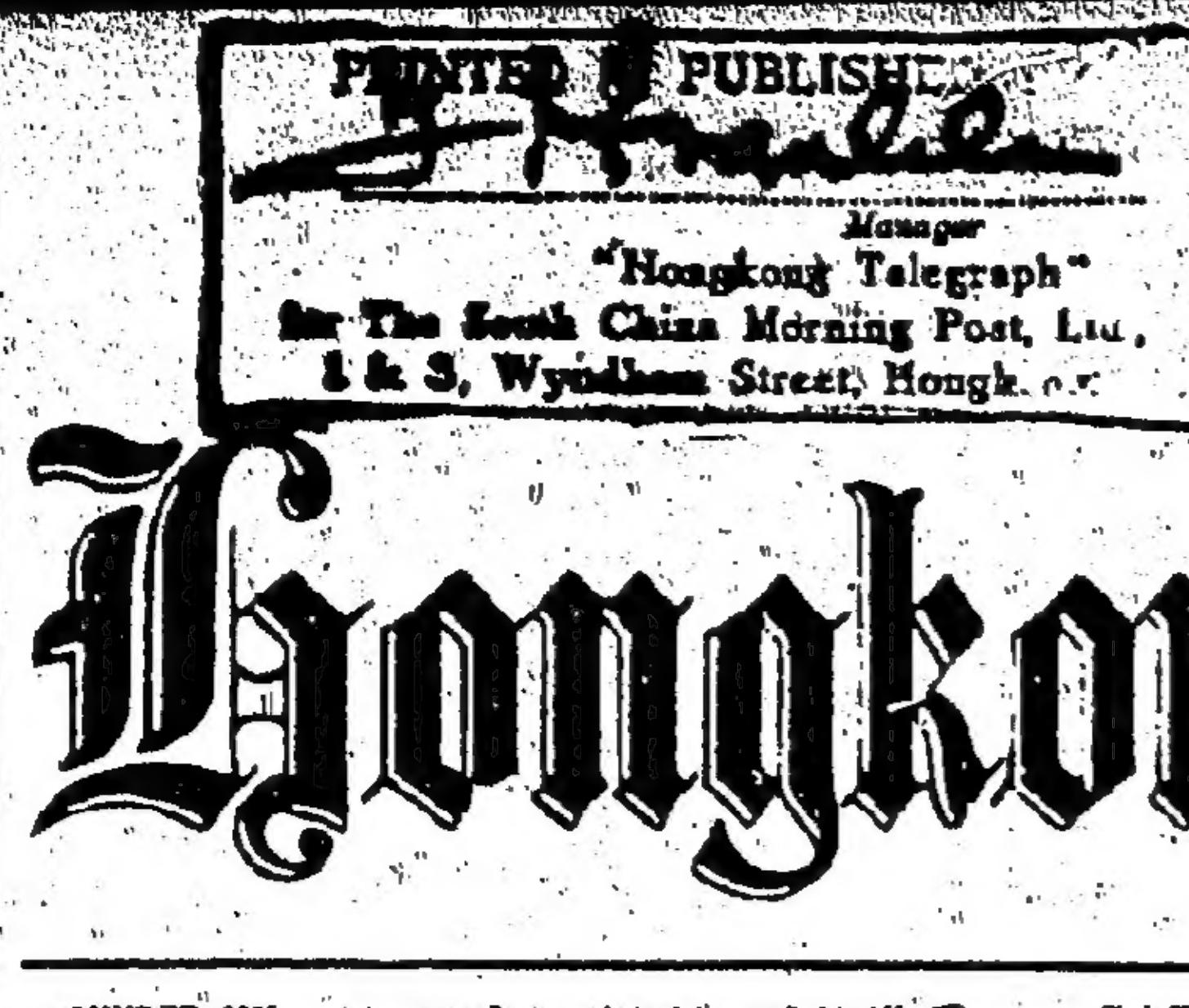


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VAST THRONGS IN  
CAPITAL

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Washington, Mar. 3.  
Over two hundred thousand people are expected to witness the inauguration of Mr. Franklin Roosevelt as President of the United States.

The capital is filled with vast throngs who are waiting on the hour of the ceremony and who are in a very happy mood despite the ominous state of the country.

What will be the last "Lame Duck" session of Congress in the history of the country is now working overtime in efforts to wind up the urgent legislation before the hour of adjournment, noon to-morrow (Saturday).

TRAGEDY CASTS BLOOM.

Mr. Franklin Roosevelt, however, exchanged a courtesy call in Washington this afternoon, having spent the morning on a visit to the widow of the late Senator Walsh, who was to have been Attorney-General in Mr. Roosevelt's Cabinet.

Senator Walsh's death has cast a gloomy touch over the inaugural proceedings, as the flag above the inaugural stand will fly at half-mast and Mr. Roosevelt will not attend functions of a purely social nature. He will not even attend the Inaugural Ball.

NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Mr. Homer S. Cummings has been appointed Attorney-General in the place of Senator Walsh, but the appointment is merely a temporary one. He will later proceed to Philippine Islands as Governor-General.—Reuter.

NORTH IRELAND  
LOAN

FLOATED ON LONDON  
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London, Mar. 3.  
Underwriting arrangements were made in London to-day for a £2,000,000 loan for the Government of Northern Ireland, in 3½ per cent. stock, redeemable in 1943. The issue price is 99½. British Wireless.

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## BATTLE RAGING AT LINGYUAN

NO TOKYO ADVANCE CLAIMS IN  
LAST TWELVE HOURS

## PEKING HOPES RISE

PEKING, MAR. 4.

WHILE THE ACTUAL SITUATION ON THE JEHOL FRONTS REMAINS OBSCURE, THERE WAS A DISPOSITION TO A MORE HOPEFUL VIEW IN PEKING TO-DAY.

Chinese despatches from the commanders in the field insist they are holding the Japanese at all points, the tension noticeable at military headquarters on Thursday has eased, and the absence in the last twelve hours of any Tokyo claims to important advances, seems to suggest that the collapse threatened by Tokyo has been stayed.

Pingchuan reports state that a snowstorm is raging filling some of the trenches to a depth of two feet. This has aided the Chinese defenders, the snow blanket imposing a heavy handicap on the operations of the Japanese infantry. Attempts were made to occupy Taipingfang without success.

Jehol military headquarters at Chengtafu report that General Tang Yu-lin, the Governor of the Province, has flown to the Chih-feng front to direct operations there in co-operation with Sun Tien-ying, whose defection is again denied, while General Wang Fu-lin, the well known Manchuria leader, has been entrusted with charge of the operations in the Lingyuan region.

### ARTILLERY DUEL.

General Gong Chao-yuan, of the XIth Army, has arrived on the Lingyuan front with several batteries of artillery and the first

SHANGHAI, Mar. 3.  
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## CRIMINAL APPEAL

### HONGKONG COURT TO BE ESTABLISHED

Hongkong is soon to have a court of Criminal Appeal, the draft of an amended Ordinance to effect this change in local criminal procedure being contained in the current issue of the Gazette.

Under the amending Ordinance, the change will be made on the lines of the Criminal Appeal Act, 1907, in England, and the Criminal Appeal Ordinance, 1931. A feature of the new Section 10 is the provision for assigning counsel and solicitors as legal aids in capital cases, cases reserved and appeal cases. It has been the practice to so assign them in capital cases only. Provision is now made for some extension of the practice so as to correspond with the provision made in England by section 10 of the Criminal Appeal Act, 1907, and in the Strait Settlements by section 12 of Ordinance No. 5 of 1931.

RESERVED POINTS.

Section 3 of the amending Ordinance introduces new headings and sections into the principal Ordinance. Section 78, which provided for reservation of questions of law, is retained as it enables the judge to reserve a question either on his own motion or at the request of either party.

The new sections 78A and 78B enact, generally, provisions of the Criminal Appeal Act, 1907, except that the Full Court is given power to direct a new trial and that the provision against separate judgments is derived from the Straits Settlements Ordinance.

Another material variation from the model appears in the new section 78A where the words "or upon the certificate of the judge who tried him" have been inserted at the suggestion of the judges who consider that the trial judge should have the power to issue such a certificate.

The Court which will hear the criminal appeal will be the Full Court as defined and constituted by the Full Court Ordinances which are being consolidated and amended, under another bill which has been approved by the Secretary of State.



General Gong Chao-yuan, the defender of Weisung fort, who is to reorganise and command one division of artillery for the defence of Jehol.

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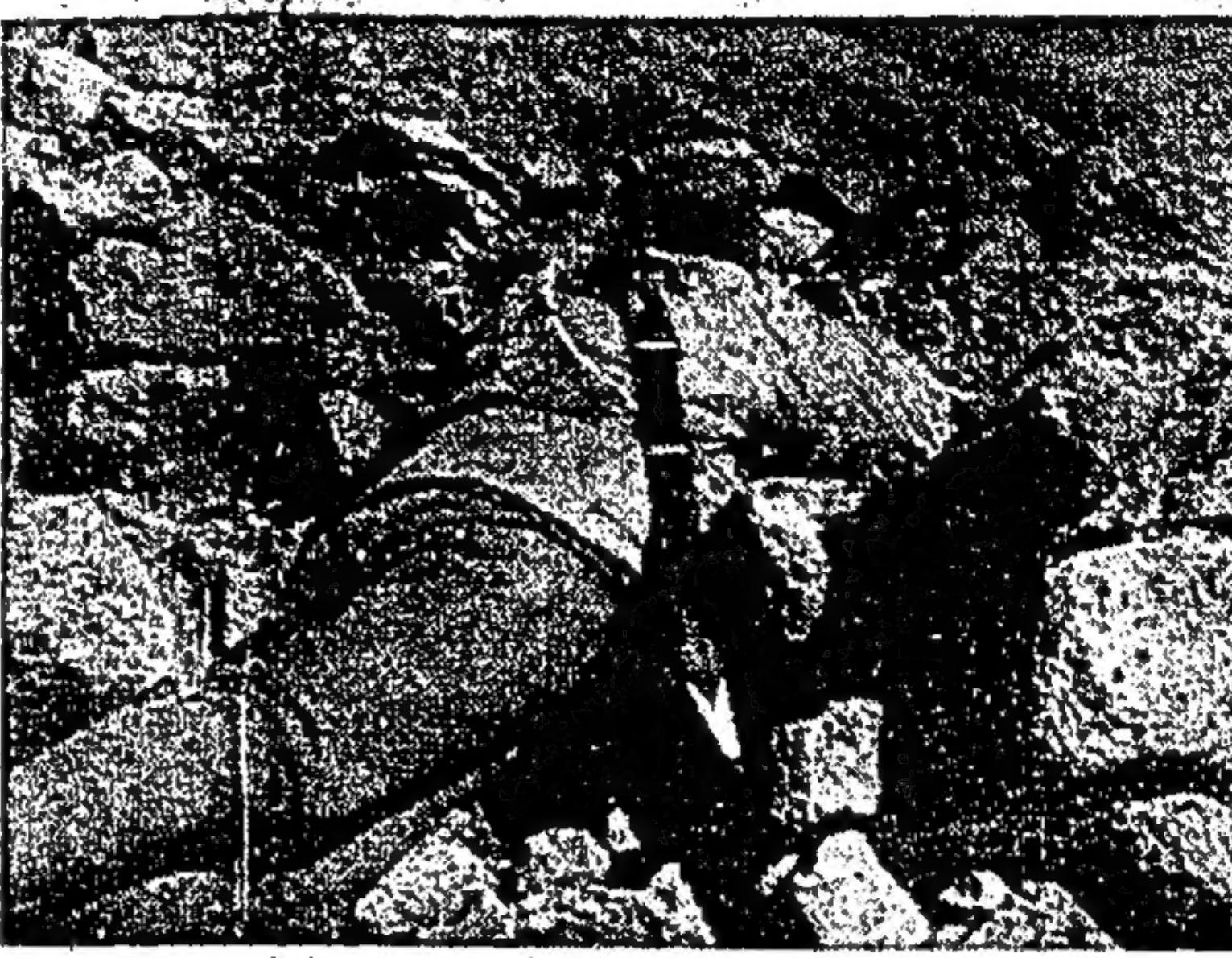
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## STOP PRESS

Shanghai, Mar. 4, 11.24 a.m.

Reports in circulation that the Japanese troops have entered Jehol City are premature. They are not confirmed either in Peking or in Tokyo.

A message from Jehol last night states that the Chinese troops are putting up a stiff resistance.—Reuter.



Taking cover among the rocks, a Chinese soldier in Jehol faces the enemy rifle in hand. The big sword slung across his back can be drawn at a moment's notice for hand-to-hand fighting. (Photo: Serge Vargasoff.)

## HITLER'S WAR ON SOCIALISTS

### NEWSPAPER EDITOR ARRESTED

Berlin, Mar. 3.  
Victor Schiff, the foreign news editor of *Vorwärts*, has been arrested with twenty other persons, and charged with plotting against the government, for which the maximum penalty is death.

A thousand marks sterling has been offered for information regarding the burning of the Reichstag.—Reuter.

## THE CRISIS IN U.S.A.

### DESTRUCTION OF CONFIDENCE

### FURTHER BANK RESTRICTIONS

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## TIDAL WAVE DISASTER

### DEAD AND MISSING OVER 2,400

### IWATE HAVOC

### 800 KILLED IN TWO VILLAGES

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IWATE TOLL.

The heaviest sufferer in the disaster was undoubtedly Iwate Prefecture where the town of Kamakura was destroyed. The latest reports from Iwate announce that 1,380 are known dead,

696 are missing, and

276 are seriously injured.

Miyagi list.

The next highest on the list is Miyagi Prefecture with

136 dead,  
227 missing,  
25 seriously injured.

Aomori and Hokkaido return account for a large part of the remaining casualties.

Two villages in Iwate Prefecture, Taro and Ton, were virtually wiped out of existence, with the dead numbering 477 in Taro and 370 in Ton.

PROPERTY HAVOC.

Nearly five thousand houses were completely destroyed, including over three thousand washed away. In addition over six thousand are inundated.

A snowstorm and blizzard adding to the sufferings of the homeless refugees from the stricken areas.—Reuter.

OFFICIAL FIGURES.

TOKYO, Mar. 4, 8.26 a.m.

The official figures of the death toll in the tidal wave disaster at midnight were:

1,535 dead,

948 missing,

338 injured.

—Reuter.

## COLONY'S CREDIT BALANCE

### IMPROVEMENT IN NOVEMBER

The Colony's credit balance at the end of November showed an improvement over the previous month, the figure being \$12,297,053, compared with \$11,882,875 at the end of October.

Revenue for the month totalled \$2,830,030, compared with \$3,182,735 for the corresponding month in 1931, while for the eleven months the respective figures were \$29,824,874 and \$30,182,500.

November's expenditure totalled \$2,421,851, against \$2,038,174 in 1931, while for the eleven months the outgoings were \$23,785,399, compared with \$27,463,037 in 1931.

—Reuter.

THE writer declares that the idea of a monarchy in Bavaria is not directed against the Reich, but the Restoration would involve wringing many Bavaria's State rights from the Reich.—Reuter.

U.S. MILITARY VOTE

SENATE APPROVES GRANT  
OF \$350,000,000

WASHINGTON, Mar. 3.

The Senate has finally approved the vote of \$350,000,000 for the War Department.—Reuter.

It is announced that the vehicular ferries which commence an hourly service on Monday will not carry passengers for the present.

## DISARMAMENT CRISIS

### PREMIER AND SIR JOHN SIMON TO ATTEMPT RESCUE

LONDON, Mar. 3.  
The Disarmament Conference has reached a critical pass, and the Foreign Office has issued the following announcement:—"His Majesty's Government have had before them a full account from Captain Eden, Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who has represented the United Kingdom at Geneva in recent weeks of the present position at the Disarmament Conference. "Deeply impressed with the

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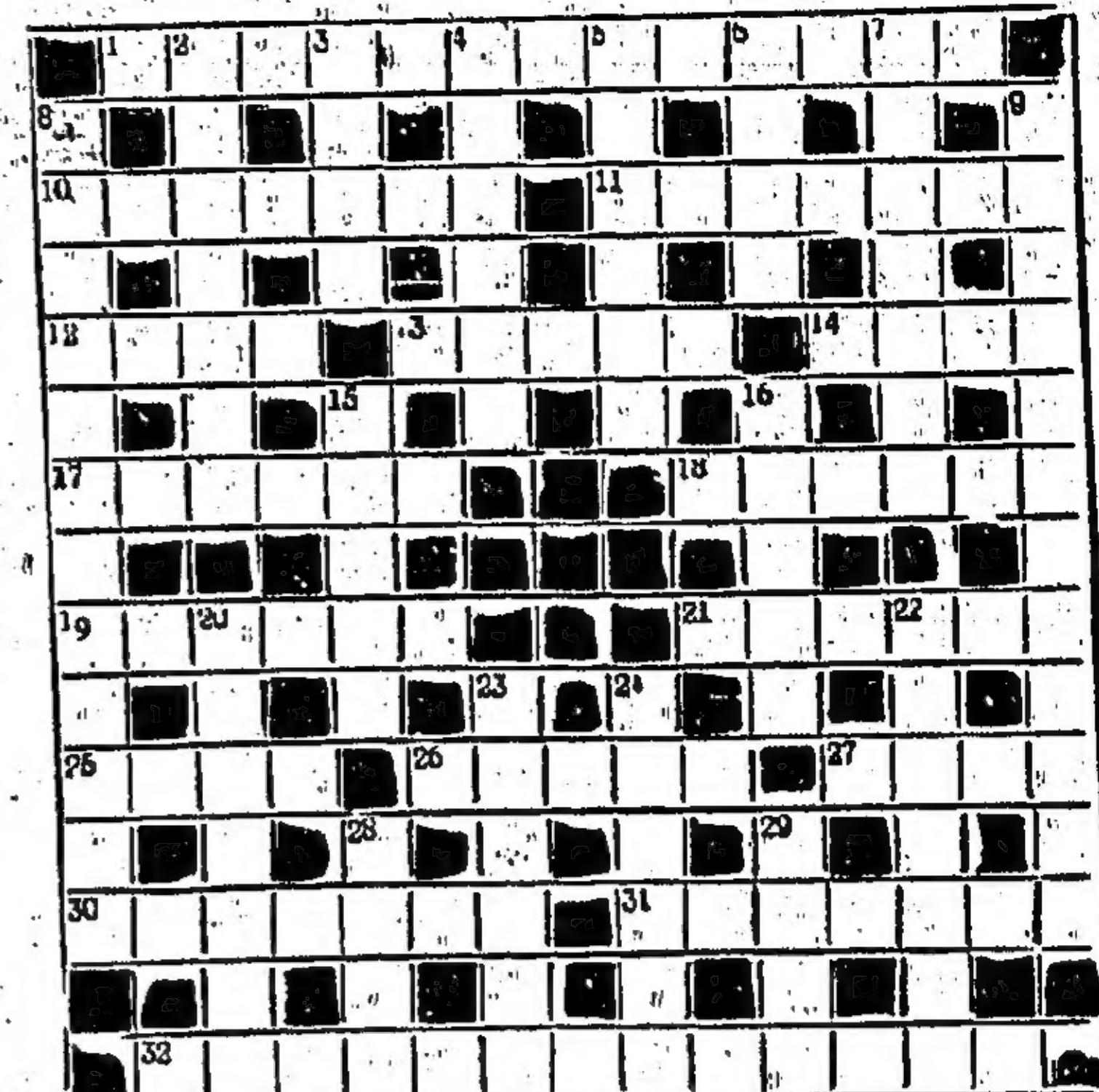
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- Search for this you will find a royal sight.
- Eniven.
- Woman must be considered first. There's nothing odd in this, of course.
- Put about in course of time, you'll have to admit.
- A pair of ditto that can no longer be obtained.
- One or other, or both.
- Sounds very modest, though much run after.
- No matter what luck you have with the other clues, you must stick here in the end.
- Birthplace of the founder of the Franciscan Order.
- Fling.
- The course taken by your golf club must be right.
- Sunk deep in a cushion, I am completely settled.
- You won't travel far in this.
- Look out! It's back in its hole, and looks jolly unfriendly.
- A mixture of red nuts and gin.

Down

- "Re Steve." A course too stiff even for such a great jockey (sing.).
- A place of twisted wire.
- Take on.
- Inclined for tips.
- March at present.
- What makes them so tired, poor

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Keep eyes focussed on ceiling directly above head and keep reaching upward with the body.

(3) Return to (1), coming through the air with inside of palms facing each other. This avoids any strain that may occur in the shoulders.

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# SPOTLIGHT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

SHEILA SHAYNE, 16, whose parents were well-known vaudeville entertainers, is a dancer. After weeks out of a job she is hired to substitute for DAISY GLEASON, another dancer, who has sprained her ankle. While Sheila is learning the song steps, Sheila meets DICK STANLEY and JOHN LANE, both rich. Dick is much attracted by Sheila and urges Lane to include her in the programs of entertainment at a party he is giving. Sheila declines to come but later accepts.

At the party she meets GORDON MANDRAKE, well known producer. She sees Dick frequently after that. Daisy returns to the stage and Sheila gets a part. John Mandrake offers her a part in a new play. Rehearsals begin at once. Sheila becomes friendly with JIM BLAINE, one of the principals. In the meantime, Sheila and Dick go to Atlantic City for the try-out week. MARION RANDOLPH, the star, becomes jealous because of the praise Sheila receives from critics and therefore she is dismissed. Sheila is out of work for some time. Then through Tom Lane's influence she secures a part in a show that is going on tour. When Dick learns this she goes to him. "Is he in trouble?" asked Sheila hesitantly. Dick frowned.

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Sheila and Dick drove to Greenwich Village and sought out an Italian restaurant where dinner was still being served. Parking the roadster near the entrance, they passed through the half deserted dining room into the September coolness of the garden in the rear.

Tables were set here and a few diners lingered. A girl in lavender muslin wearing a wide hat, intriguingly simple, faced a middle-aged escort. A group of newspaper men were nearby discussing a late book. Farther away sat two women dining together.

John, the proprietor, wandered from table to table, a muffler wrapped about his throat as was his custom in any except the hottest July temperature. John had been a singer.

He hurried to greet the newcomers and usher them to table.

"Would Madame like the special salad?" he asked eagerly. Then he frowned at his mistake. The young lady was not "madame." She looked much too young.

"It's very good, Sheila," Dick assured her. "Want to try it? All right, John. Two dinners with the special salad."

"Would you like to see the chicken cooked?" Dick asked. Grateful for the interruption, Sheila rose and followed Dick into the kitchen which was well forward. She did not want, just then, to hear more of his pleas that she should give up her part in the road show and stay in New York.

It was a large, airy kitchen with a huge range and spit. Three white-capped chefs wandered about, apparently aimlessly yet actually with a purpose. This one with a fork lifted the curling, coiling spaghetti and let it fall once more with a shake of his head. That one watched the chicken or split uncooked fowls with a sharp cleaver on a smoothly scrubbed pine board. Another stirred, sniffed and seasoned a reddish sauce, thick and fragrant.

John himself, at the farther end of the kitchen, was apparently in what Dick called a "mood." A stranger stood beside him and gazed negligently and impatiently on some snapshots and cabinet photographs which John seemed bent on displaying.

The stranger shook his head. "I can't help it. I can't do a thing about it. Those are the

orders! Pay up or get out."

"But my grandmother! My mother in Italy! They will starve if I close! You are wrong. I never sell one drop in this place!"

The restaurant keeper flung down the family portraits on a bare table. They were instantly swept aside to make room for a huge soup kettle. Bending, with tears gathering afresh, John collected the photographs together and held them to his breast.

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At the next table, vacant when she and Dick had arrived, a tall, blonde young man was sitting. He was smoking thoughtfully. Presently a waiter, napkin on arm, hurried to the young man's side, bearing a steaming plate of soup.

Suddenly the stranger's eyes met Sheila's and he smiled. It was a frank smile, ingenuous and winning. There was nothing flirtatious about it. Sheila smiled back.

"Aren't you Miss Shayne?" the man asked in a low tone. Without waiting for an answer, he nodded slowly. "Yes, of course you are! I've seen you at Atlantic City stage, I saw you at Atlantic City and I wanted to see you here. Where have you been?"

"You mean you saw me in 'When Lights Are Low'?" He nodded.

Having secured another part, Sheila didn't mind in the least admitting what had happened. Others knew it now anyhow.

"I lost my job in that show in Atlantic City," she said. "I guess I wasn't much of a success."

"But you were! You were excellent! I suppose it was Marion—yes, of course, that was it! Marion doesn't like competition. Do you have a job now?"

Sheila nodded. "I'm going on the road."

"Not really? Why, you can be a Broadway star if you stay here. On the road!"

"I have to eat."

"Don't we all? Come and eat with me any time. But mean while don't go on the road. Are you married?"

Sheila gave a start. "Goodness, no!"

The man laughed. "Well, you will be. I've seen it so many times. Girls who have talent, looks, personality, spoil it all by running off and getting married. I'll bet you're engaged this minute."

"No!" Sheila's voice rang out quickly.

"Well, you will be. Red checkered curtains in your kitchen windows, a pot o' geraniums on the sill, doll carriages around the place to stumble over."

"How did you know?" Sheila began, her cheeks burning.

"How did I know? I didn't until a minute ago. You look just like that kind of girl. Well..." His tone lowered. "I'll be seeing you."

His glance dropped. Looking

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up, Sheila saw Dick coming along the garden walk.

"It seems John was in a jam," Dick admitted, seating himself. "Hadn't paid his rent. I got Trevor on the wire and he gave him another week to raise it."

The waiter brought the first course, a plate carefully sauced with shiny red peppers, silver fish, cool green onion tops and radishes.

"When we're married—" Dick began.

"We're not going to be married," Sheila interrupted.

"No? How much do you want to stake on it?"

"All I have!" She shook the contents of her little purse on the tablecloth. A key. A postage stamp. Four pennies and a folded bill.

"Say! Is that all you have? Forgive me but—well, I know you are only rehearsing. Listen—"

"I am listening." Arms on the table, Sheila framed her cheeks with two soft hands and smiled across at him provokingly. "I know it all by heart. Listen, cirie, if that's all you have let me help you. There are plenty of people waiting around to grab a nice little girl like you when she's out of work and hasn't any money. Let me stake you. I'm not like the others!"

"I hope I am," Dick said slowly, "if that's the case."

"Oh, it isn't. I have plenty of money."

"Sure?"

"Quite sure. Do you think if I were actually broke I'd have let you see that I had so little in my purse? Besides, it isn't a little. That bill is a 10."

"A fortune!" gasped Dick in mock agreement. "Look here, Sheila, please give up this road job. Marry me and forget the stage."

They discussed the pros and cons of marriage throughout the rest of the dinner. But Sheila had made up her mind. She would not marry him. She would not marry him and live in the city or in a suburb. She wanted a home in the country. A country-bred husband. She even mentioned red peruvians and was surprised and gratified because Dick did not laugh.

"But we can have all that, sweetheart," he said earnestly.

"No, we can't. You were born to a different life. You wouldn't like it."

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(To be continued.)

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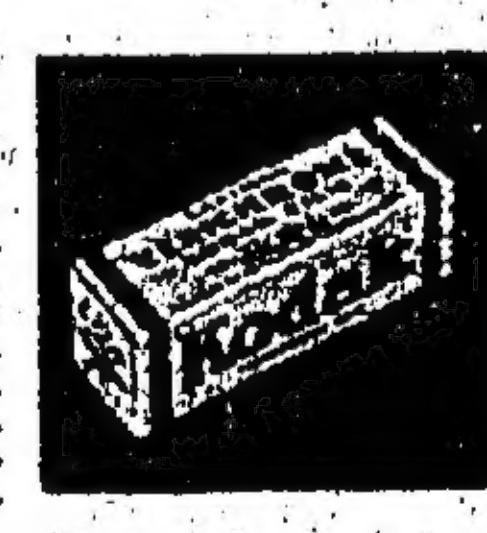
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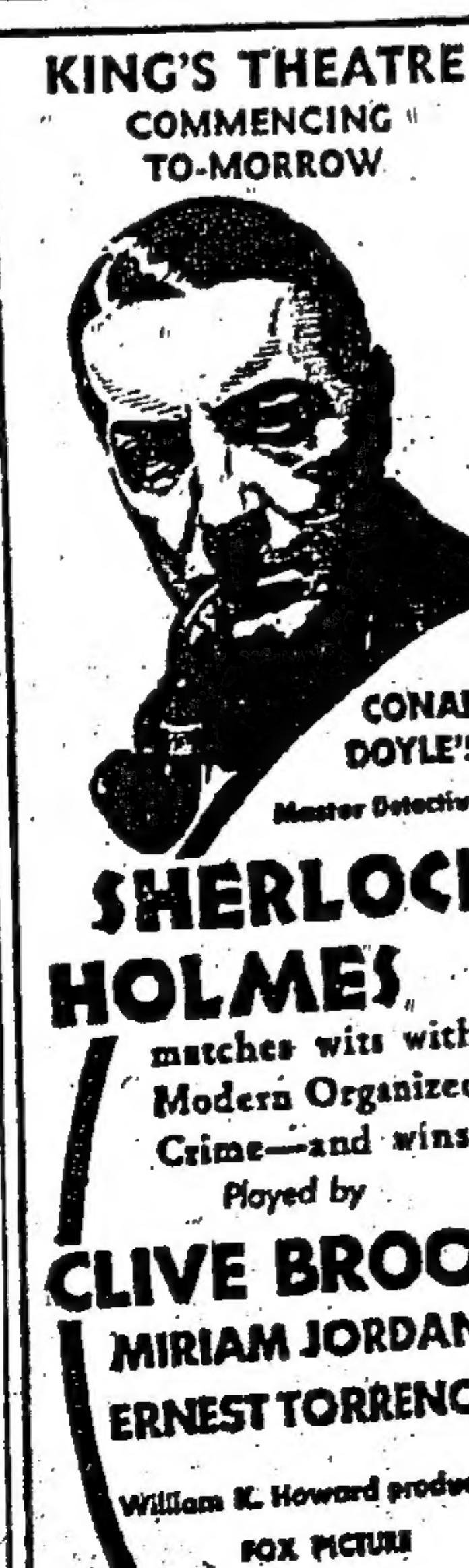
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## CHURCH NOTICES

### First Sunday in Lent ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc. at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon:

Sunday, March 5.

1st Sunday in Lent.

8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.

10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School.

11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher: The Vicar.

Subject: "The Law of Retribution."

3 p.m. Confirmation Class. Sunday School.

6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Preacher: The Bishop of Victoria.

V.D.M.A. Meeting.

Monday, March 6. Annual General Meeting of the Victoria Diocesan and Missionary Association at 5.15 p.m., in St. John's Cathedral Hall. All members are requested to attend. Friends will be welcome.

Wednesday, 8th Inst.—Lenten Service 6 p.m. The monthly meeting of the Bible Reading Fellowship is included with this service in view of the V.D.M.A. meeting on Monday.

Discussion Class.

Thursday, 9th Inst., under the auspices of St. Andrew's Club, Discussion Class in the Chater Room of the Church Hall at 9 p.m. Subject: "The Problem of Guidance." Opener: Dr. H. Matthews.

Lenten Course by The Bishop.

The Bishop of Victoria is taking a short Lenten Course at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on the evenings of the first three Sundays in Lent, March 5, 12 and 19. All are welcome.

### METHODIST CHURCH (Wanchai).

The following are the forthcoming services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queen's Road, E.)

Sunday, Mar. 5.

Morning Service, 10.15 a.m. Preacher: Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Hymns 13, 428, 480, 510, and 624 (Tune 627).

Evening Service, 6 p.m. Preacher: Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck. Hymns 366, 372 (Tune 261), 379, 483, and 914.

There will be a celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion at the close of the Evening Service.

Friday, March 10.

Weekly Prayer Meeting 7.30 p.m.

### SAILORS' & SOLDIERS' HOME

Saturday, March 4.

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Sunday, March 5.

Christian Social Hour, 8.15 p.m.

Monday, March 6.

Badminton Club meet.

Tuesday, March 7.

Fellowship meeting, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, March 8.

A concert at which some of the leading local artists will perform. Further details will be published later. Admission by Programme, 10 cents.

Thursday, March 9.

Badminton Club meet.

Saturday, March 11.

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### FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.

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### UNION CHURCH.

The following are the forthcoming services, etc. at Union Church:

Sunday, March 5.

Sunday School, Kennedy Road, 9.30 a.m.

Sunday School, Taikoo, 2.45 p.m.

Morning service 10.30 a.m.

Evening service 6 p.m. Preacher at both services: The Rev. E. G. Powell.

A Social Hour will be held in the Church Hall after the evening service.

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## AMERICA'S NEW GOVERNMENT

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt, only the third Democrat, since 1856 to be elected President of the United States, is to be installed in office to-day. He assumes his high position at a moment when depression still hangs heavily over America, aggravated as it now is by the banking crisis. In the circumstances, his task is not an enviable one. Obviously, if the new Administration is to escape the unpopularity of the old, it must be through some improvement in the world situation. The question naturally suggests itself whether Mr. Roosevelt can make good where Mr. Hoover failed. The critical aspects of American policy are all concerned with finance—war debts, tariffs, foreign investments, and bimetallism. On the first of these, there is not likely to be any marked change, recorded. Mr. Roosevelt owed his nomination largely to the support of Mr. Hearst, and the Hearst papers have been violent in their opposition to war debt revision, or even to serious downward revision. The new President may be able to win popular support for a reduction of the British debt, since there is a growing feeling that the terms made with Britain are unfairly one-sided, compared with those made with other debtor nations. But he will need to be careful as to how far he goes in this direction, inasmuch as the other debtors would naturally seize the opportunity to ask for revision also. On the tariff question, the Democrats are said to be planning downward revision, in the hope of reciprocal agreements with other countries which will help to revive foreign trade. But if past history is to be taken as a guide, it is quite possible that these plans may not be realised. The Democratic Party, since the Civil War, has never been united in favour of tariff reduction, as both Cleveland and Woodrow Wilson found when they attempted to persuade Democratic Congresses to lower the tariff. One possible contribution to world financial revival is a return to bimetallism. Mr. Roosevelt is known to favour this; it is in line with the historic tendency of his party, and it is a popular programme in the rural South and among the remaining Bryan Democrats of the West. At the World Economic Conference, America may urge the remonetisation of silver, and since bimetallism provides a fairly safe form of inflation, it offers at least one of

the more arguable methods of pulling the world out of the present slump. The Roosevelt policy in regard to the Far Eastern crisis has not yet been disclosed, but there, again, no marked change is likely to be registered. The new incumbent of the White House will take office with the good wishes not only of his own people, but of the whole world. A tremendous task awaits him. If he can make some real impression on the big problems of his time, his name will long be remembered in the history of the United States.

## International Language

The latest effort to provide mankind with a universal language departs from the method of its predecessor in that it does not attempt to add one more to the number of languages already spoken. There are said to be about 1500 languages, not counting the Volapük invented in 1879 by Johann Martin Schleyer, or Esperanto, invented by the Russian Zamenhof eight years later. The Russian originator, when he signed his first printed exposition, "Dr. Esperanto," gave that name to what seemed the most promising. There are now those in different lands who if they met could exchange thought in Esperanto; but they are so few that they are unlikely to meet. The universal language, with which anybody could conveniently supplement his native tongue, was still unprovided. Traffic in Chinese ports, to be sure, long ago invented Pidgin English, which has continued useful within its limits, but is rather too fantastic, as well as too limited, to invite adoption as a universal form of speech. The latest effort, Basic English, seems more promising in that it takes its words from the language now most widely spoken and has compiled a vocabulary of 850 words, which, with the rules governing their use, can be mastered by the earnest student in a short time. Dr. Vizetelly, the lexicographer, has estimated the number of reputable words in the English language at about 700,000. For the past ten years Mr. C. K. Ogden, sponsor of Basic English, and his assistants in the Orthological Institute of Cambridge, have been picking out the smallest number of words with which, when two strong men stand face to face, though they come from the ends of the earth, they could carry on an easy and intelligible conversation. The astonishing thing, as Basic English now comes to public knowledge, is that this can actually be done with 850 words, and that the two strong men could chat companionably about any subject that occurred to them. Such, it appears, is the comprehensiveness of his small vocabulary that a savant could address savants in Basic English, or an author could write a novel.

## Industry's Future

Even while the dismal giant of technocracy has been striding the American stage, in Canada another group, less conspicuous, has been making a deeper stir and a much more hopeful one. Organised last August, the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation of Canada is rapidly spreading throughout the country. In contradistinction to the pronouncements of the technocrats, the Federation seems to be advancing on the assumption that man is an intelligent being and can work out his own economic salvation without discarding freedom or the humanities. While the technocrat is apparently to large extent concerned with the negatives of unemployment, lack and social disorder, the co-operator sees about him abounding plenty, vast stretches of untouched work waiting to be done. Having seen this, the co-operator has set himself the task of building up a system that will insure to every consumer a share of the bounty that exists and a portion of the work that must be done. Co-operation, he tells his fellow men, will solve all social and economic problems. The movement aims at an early nationalisation of banking, currency and credit as a first step toward a full employment and exchange of goods and services. It is pointing to the constructive results of co-operation throughout Europe as but a hint of what is possible when co-operation is more widely known and applied.

## THE ETHICS OF MONEY

By E. L. ALLEN

We usually regard our private incomes and what we do with them as peculiarly our own concern and rather resent the intrusion of moral considerations. All the same, I am sure that an increasing number of people are becoming exercised to-day on the matter. Is there nothing that you and I can do here and now towards helping the world through its present distresses? I am going to throw out one or two suggestions as to lines of action which we might well adopt and by adopting which we could play our part, small as it must of necessity be, towards world-recovery.

In the first place, I am not at all sure that thrift can occupy for us the place on the list of virtues which it held for our fathers. Time was when capital was needed for industrial expansion and capital could then only be obtained by saving. The successful businessman would relate with pride how as a boy he used to walk to work instead of going by tram and how as a family man he limited the number of potatoes on the dinner table, till it seemed to imply that we could all have become millionaires if we had only been willing to be abstemious!

## A SURFEIT OF SAVING.

But it is more than probable that all the needs of industry for fresh capital can be met nowadays simply by setting aside a proportion of its profits or by the investments which the rich are only too glad to make in order to find a use for their surplus income. It looks indeed as though we are suffering at the present time from a surfeit of saving and a shortage of expenditure. Of course, the obligation remains to provide sufficient to prevent one from being a burden on one's friends in old age, sickness, or unemployment. But it may be seriously questioned whether we have a right to save beyond that point. Our warehouses are choking with goods and there is dire need for people to come forward with money to buy them. In spite of so much that is being said, economy for economy's sake is not a virtue but a menace. It only serves to make matters worse, for my refusal to buy is in effect a refusal to give men work. Not thrift but wisely-regulated expenditure is the ideal.

But how are we to regulate our expenditure? For one thing, it is better to buy a hand-made than a machine-made article. If the result of my expenditure over a given period is that I have put a machine out of work and put a man in, I have rendered a solid and permanent service. Let us purchase where most money goes in wages. That is why, for example, it is better, apart from other considerations, to lay one's money out on furniture than on whisky. So much more is paid out in wages in the one industry than in the other.

## INVESTMENTS.

But as regards what one does save, where is one to invest it? We should do well to develop more of a conscience in this respect. In these days of investment trusts and joint-stock companies, and dividends coming in through the post without the ordinary man knowing much about how they have been earned, it is perhaps more difficult to get information than

to act on it. But the man who refuses to direct his power to invest and so to promote industry into any channels except those which he has reason to believe will be socially beneficial is rendering a real service. And for those who want to go farther even than that opportunities are not wanting. There are a number of businesses and societies in England to-day which are not run on a profit-making basis but to provide work for the unemployed or to help solving the housing problem in our big cities. They can offer only 3 or 4 per cent at most but the satisfaction one gets out of knowing that one's savings are really doing some direct good in the world is worth a great deal. Many municipal loans come under the same head, they go into public health, housing, education, etc., and to invest in them is a form of service.

Then if there is one thing at the present time against which we should set our faces, it is surely this whole business of making money by manipulating money, whether in the form of gambling on the exchanges or share-speculation.

Anybody who went through the boom period in the U.S.A. or the milder epidemic in England which preceded the Hatry crash knows that this sort of thing does not merely give the machinery of industry a nasty jar, it disastrous results seriously undermine the whole business world, so that an orgy of optimism is followed by a paralysing depression. What money I have is my share in the purchasing power of the community that has come to me more because I am a member of a society that has earned it than because I have earned it myself, and I have no right to use it except under a sense of responsibility.

## FATHER JELLINE'S PUBLIC-HOUSE

Recently I paid a visit to "The Anchor," the famous public-house in Somer's Town, London, run by Father Jellicoe of the Magdalene College Mission.

"The Anchor" is situated in a dreary slum street, and I was pleasantly surprised when I pushed open the swing door and stepped out of the wet and cold into the warm, well-lighted saloon bar.

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Then I peeped into the public bar, which was larger and more crowded. I was told that beer costs a halfpenny a pint less in the public bar, and there are facilities for playing dominoes, draughts, &c., which are greatly appreciated.

Yet three years ago, when "The Anchor" was bought by the Magdalene College Mission, it was considered one of the worst public-houses in London, and was regarded by the police with grave suspicion.

## BULLS AND INNERS

If the Horticultural Society's Show had only been held the day after one of these boxing tournaments, some fine specimens of cauliflower might have been on view.

Maybe one of the reasons there is no Cornish Society in Hongkong is the embarrassment which might be caused if an odd pirate or two wanted to join up.

Some Hongkong mothers find their daughters irritable at night, says a reader. Others can't find them at all until the early morning.

We hear of a Peak lady who objects to her cold being called a common one.

She was only a baker's daughter, but she wore her hair in a bun.

A newcomer wants to know what we would do if we found a nine-inch centipede inside the mosquito net. About fifteen miles an hour.

A young lad recently followed his father miles round the Fanling golf course. It is presumed that he was anxious to get to know him.

The Australian will only concede that England won the Ashes.

Stated that there is still a fortune awaiting the inventor of a perfect non-refillable bottle. Edward Kelly considers a greater fortune awaits the inventor of a non-emptiable one.

Inhabitants of the world are getting shorter, says a scientist. Edward Kelly's bank-book proves that.

An Armistice has been declared until the next Test series.

Britain has instituted an arms embargo, but thank Heaven we're not prudes in Hongkong.

She was only a taipan's daughter, but how the lads liked to Peak!

Three hangmen in succession in Warsaw have been dismissed for drunkenness. Naturally, a hangman works better if allowed an occasional drop.

Sixty ton whale passes through Hongkong. Where were our local anglers?

No jokes are left to write about. We've drained the moment dry. Dance-halls and chits have petered out. No pals tell funny tales to-day. No joker does appear. Police Court skies are dull and grey. With humour scarce as beer. As scarce as beer? Well no. Not quite:

For what's this in the ads? Free samples can be had to-day. Ooh! What a time to-night!

"Natural Linen Return to Favour—Waistline Only Hinted" reads a headline. Some appear to be pretty broad hints!

There is no truth in the rumour that the serious shortage of white roses compelled the Yorkshiremen's Society to use a bowl of red ones at last night's function.

Some people complain that there are too many obstacles in the way of University education. That's the worst of adversity!

"Indignant"—Do not worry. "Grayeblocks" does not refer to some human headpieces.

There is no truth in the rumour that during the band concert at the Flower Show, a gentleman in the Colonial Secretariat actually achieved the impossible by sleeping through a trombone.

We hate to say it, but some of the exhibitors at the Horticultural Show did know their onions...

We liked the table decorations, especially, the motif depicting picnickers defending their young.

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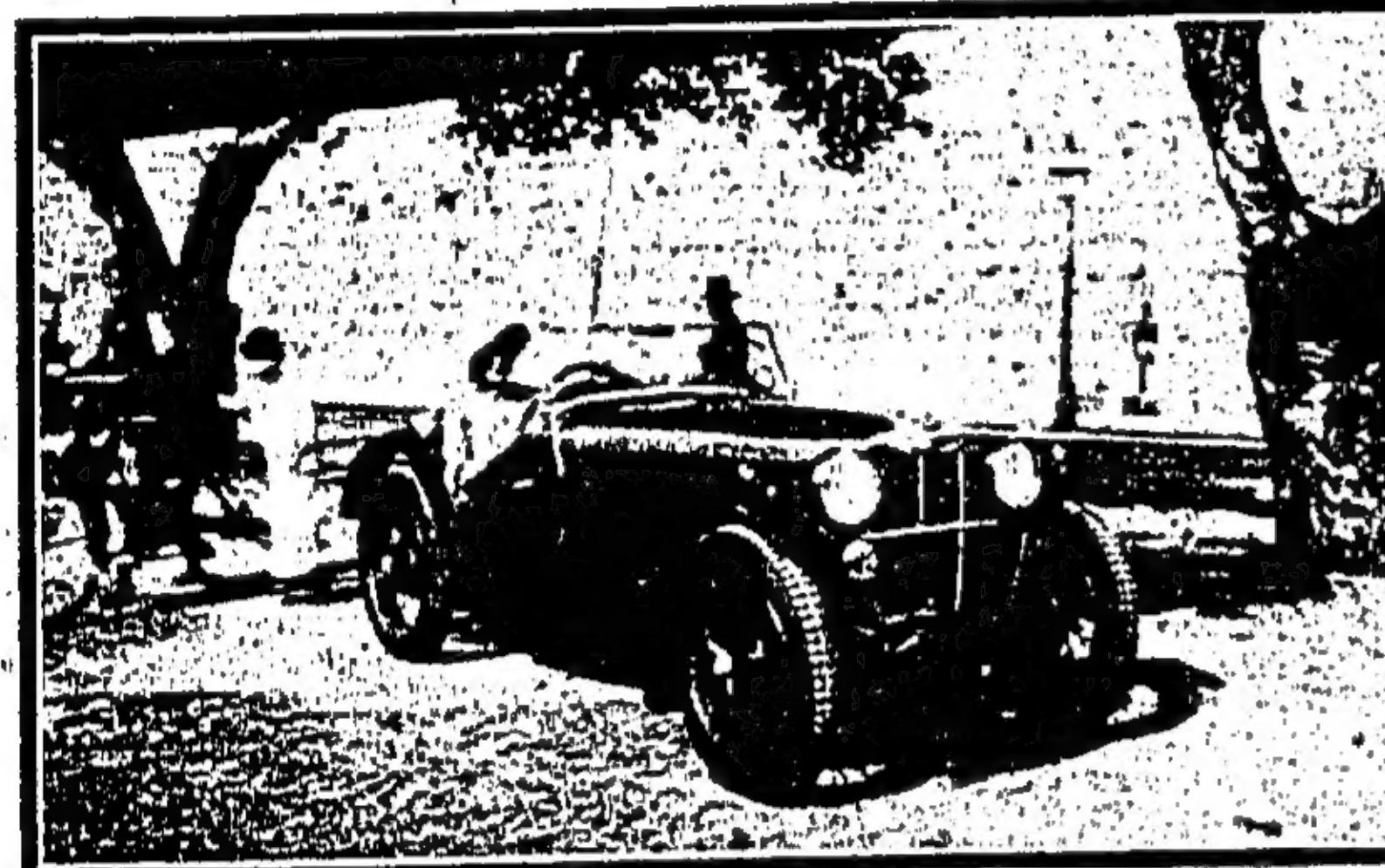
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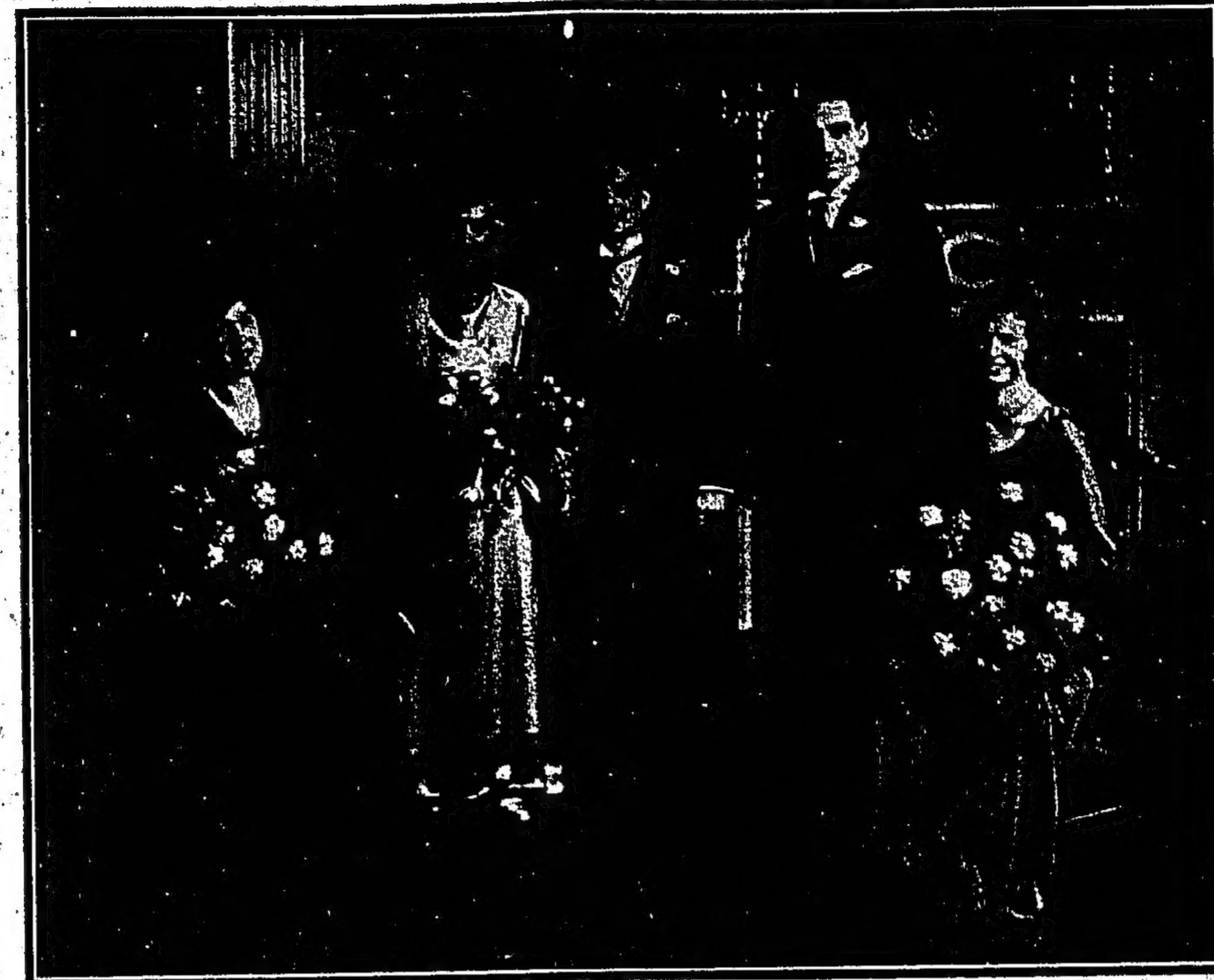
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Some of the competitors at the Central British School sports at King's Park last week. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



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The above group was taken after the recent wedding, in Greenock, Scotland, of Mr. William Robertson, Chief Accountant of the Hongkong branch of the American Express Company, and Miss Marion Thomson. Several Hongkong friends attended the ceremony.



His Honour Sir Joseph Kemp, Chief Justice of Hongkong, who is shortly leaving the Colony on retirement.



Ready for the start. A snapshot taken at the Central British School sports. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



This snapshot was taken at the Cheung Chau School on prize-distribution day. Seen in the picture are Mr. N. L. Smith, Director of Education; Mr. A. O. Bräun, Inspector of Schools; Mr. K. P. Cheung, B.A., headmaster; and Mr. Hon Kau-fung, the former headmaster. (Photo: Yim Fong).



The above group shows Queen's College, Prefects for 1933. (Photo: Yim Fong).



Bridal group taken at the recent wedding of Dr. H. F. Mok and Miss Jean O'Hoy. (Photo: Mrs. Cheung).



The wedding was quietly celebrated at St. John's Cathedral on Saturday of Mr. E. Scott-Ram, of Kuala Lumpur, and Miss F. E. O. Willis, after which the above group was taken. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Photo shows members of the Royal Artillery detachment at Pakshawan, with "Sandy," their mascot. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

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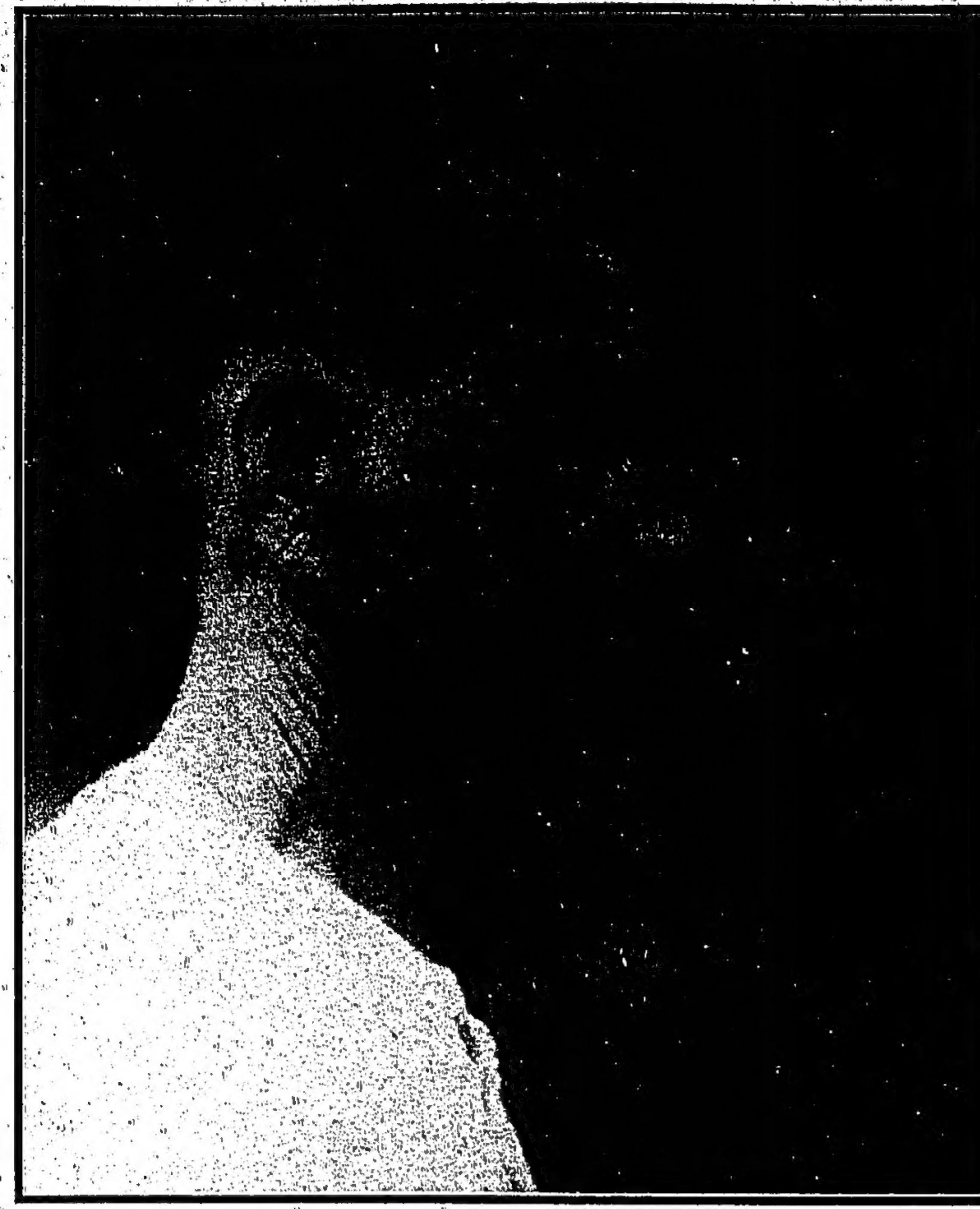
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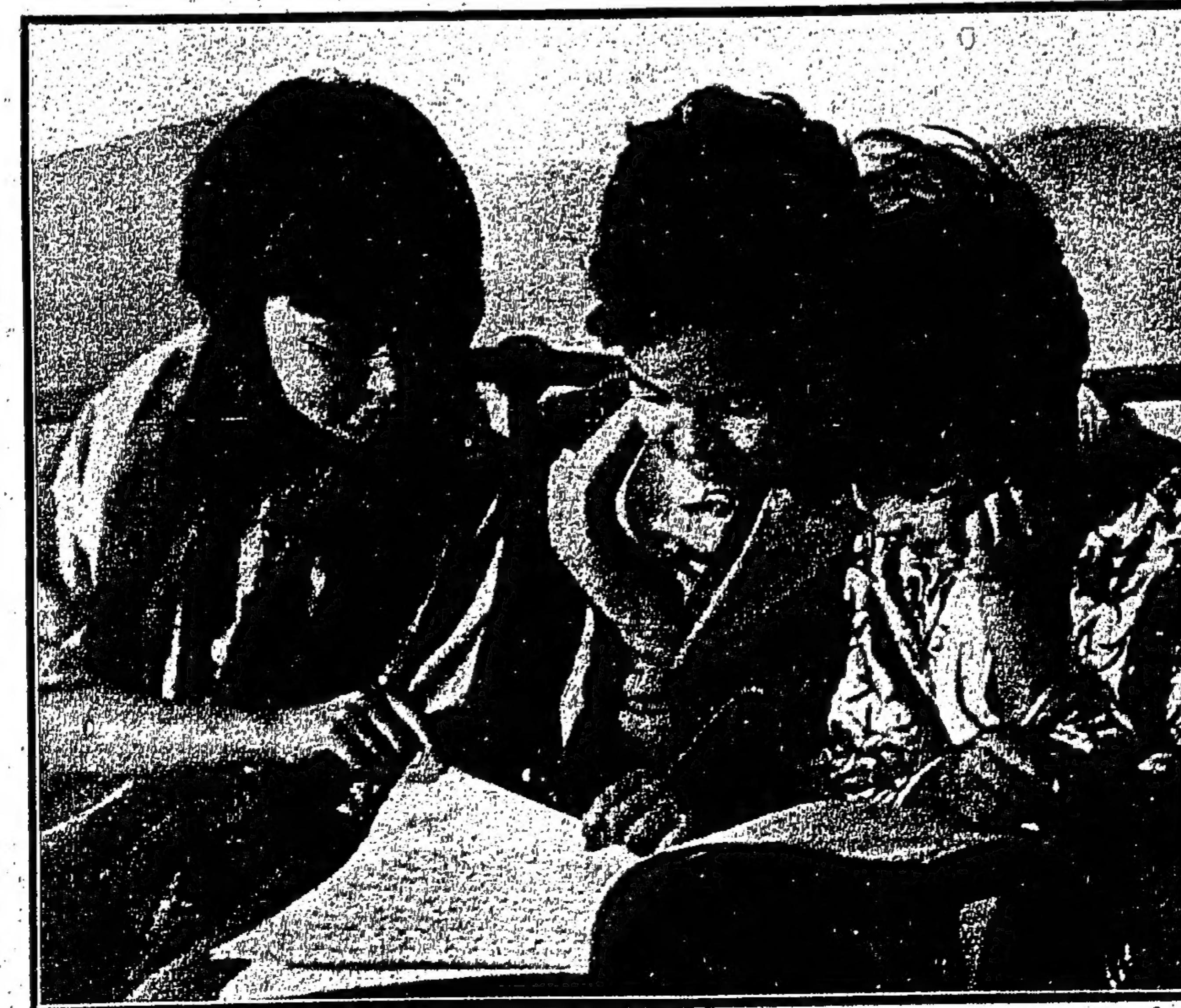
An effective waterfront study, which won a third prize for Mr. W. H. Tan.



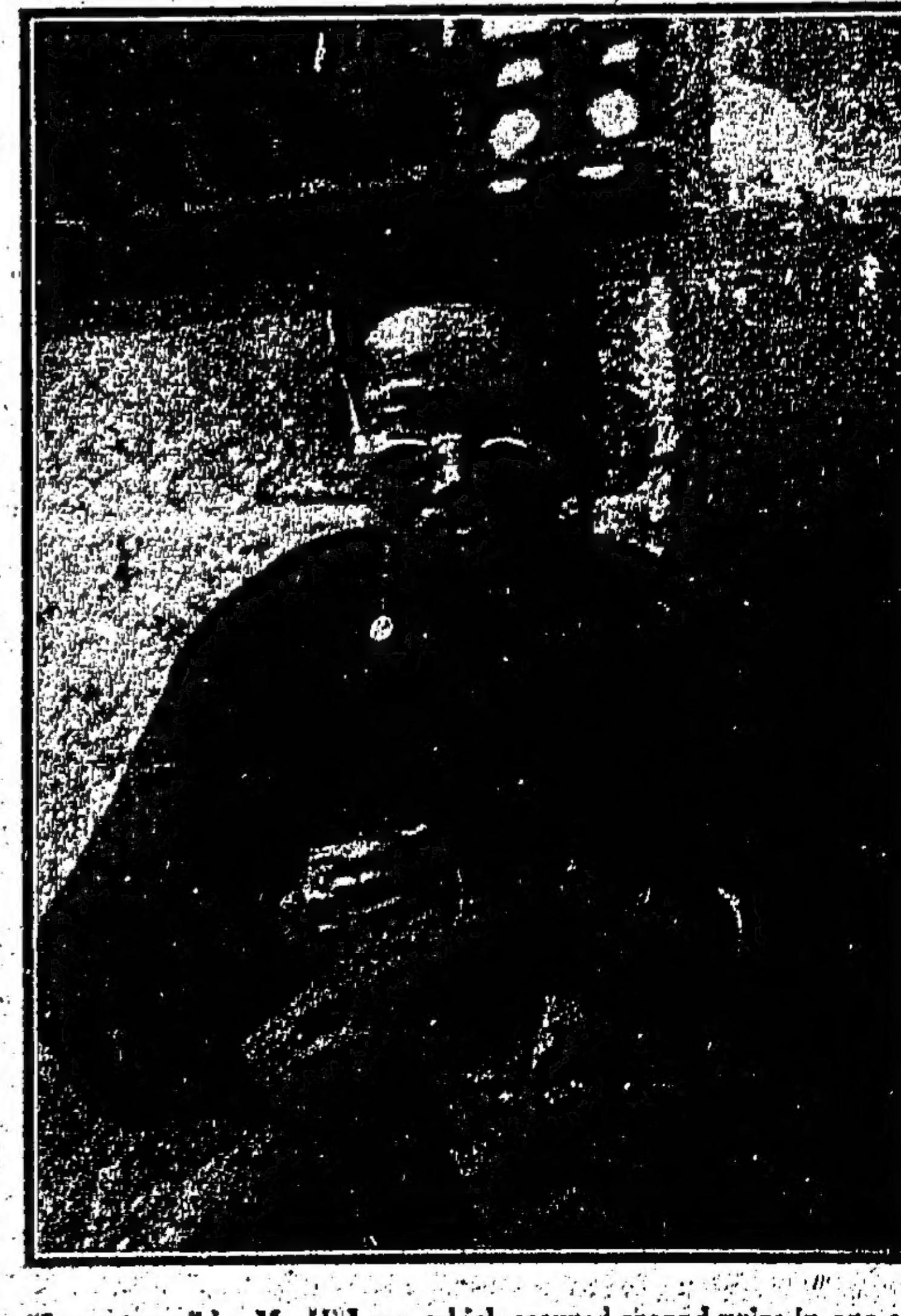
This entry by Mr. P. A. Dragon, entitled "Back Lane Gossip," won a second prize.



Another first prize winner—"Curves," by Mr. P. A. Dragon.



The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotswall exhibited this picture of his children. It is entitled "Music's Symbols."



"Seamstress," by Mr. H. Luer, which secured second prize in one of the sections.

## THE CRISIS IN U.S.A.

(Continued from Page 1.)

In States that have imposed limitations on the withdrawal of deposits.

The number of these States has leaped in the last twenty-four hours to thirty, out of a total of forty-eight, and others are expected to follow suit.

Georgia and New Mexico are the latest participants in the restrictive measures upon the withdrawal of bank deposits.

The Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago has raised the re-discount rate to three and a half per cent.—Reuter.

## STOCK SCAMBLE.

New York, Mar. 3. The Wall Street Journal reports that the stock market opened steady with a moderate turnover. A mad scramble to cover by shorts forced prices up several points. There was active trading and tickers were 2 minutes behind. The movement spread also to the Curb. U.S. Bonds sagged to the lowest points for the year. Call money was renewed 3½%. Later the market turned bullish with a vengeance, stocks going up as much as 6 points. There was a sterling rush to buy Wheat 2½ cts, higher in Chicago. During the first hours of trading all grains joined the upward rush. Provisions gained as much as 20 points.

The frantic short covering produced one of the most bullish markets in recent months, prices holding most gains at the close. Ticklers were once 4 minutes late. Sales from 10.30 a.m. to noon totaled 700,000 shares. Call money rose to 4%, the highest since December 29, 1930. The Curb Exchange followed the Stock Exchange, and bonds including U.S. Bonds firmed up later.

## COMMODITIES CLIMB.

Due to stock influence, Wheat, Sugar, Cotton, Silver and other commodities climbed substantially. It is reported that shorts were frightened because of expected restrictions in short trading which, however, will not materialize, the Stock Exchange saying that free trading must continue. The Chicago Federal Reserve put up the rediscount rate to 3½%.

The Weekly Report of the Federal Reserve Boards showed that money circulation rose from \$752,000,000 to the high record of \$6,720,000,000. \$116,000,000 lost through export or earmarking foreign account. Frightened citizens hoarded another \$110,000,000. Federal Reserve put \$385,000,000 in credit into banking structure.

## ANOTHER STATE.

It is reported that Federal Reserve were buying bills from members of banks and dealers at 3½% against 2% yesterday. New York clearinghouse announced that effective Monday intership rates would be increased from 3/4% to 1% from recent levels. Georgia moratorium effective until Monday. North Carolina authorized restrictions where necessary, making 31 States operating forced optional restrictions.

Mr. Roosevelt denied reports that he proposed statement on finances to-day. Mr. Gore introduced bill giving Roosevelt sweeping power to secure deposits through R. F. C. and other Government agencies. A Bill was urged for postal savings banks to accept checking accounts to provide currency business.

## TENDERS ACCEPTED

## LATEST LIST OF GOVT. AWARDS

The Government has accepted the following tenders:

Construction of a timber wharf.

Messrs. Ching Lee &amp; Co.

Erection of huts at Shing Mun.

Messrs. Baxter &amp; Co.

Construction of Mooring Buoys

—Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering Co. of Hongkong, Ltd.

Disposal of rubble quarried at North Point.—Messrs. Tung Shing Firm.

Road conditioning, Fanling-Sha Tau Kok and improving and strengthening main roads for motor traffic.—Messrs. Sang Lee &amp; Co.

Dragon's Back Catchwater, 1st Section.—Messrs. Yee Lee &amp; Co. "Old material." P.W.D.—Messrs. Kwong Sang Lee &amp; Co., Messrs. Hop Lee &amp; Co., Messrs. Li Wai Kiu, Messrs. Ye Wo Shun Kee, Messrs. Lam Cheong Kee.

Site formation, new Government Civil Hospital.—Messrs. Sang Lee &amp; Co.

Development of Kowloon Tsai, 1st Section.—Messrs. Chan Tai Kee.

Removal of silt from Aberdeen Lower Reservoir.—Messrs. Yee Lee &amp; Co.

Supplying and installing one 1½-kilowatt steam driver direct current compound wound 110 volt dynamo in No. 8 Police launch.—The Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co.

## S.P.C.A. CARNIVAL

## BRILLIANT FUNCTION AT PENINSULA HOTEL

The carnival spirit reigned supreme at the Peninsula Hotel last evening when a large gathering congregated in the Roof Garden for the annual carnival ball of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

It was the fifth annual function of the Society.

Mr. J. Russell, President, introducing Lady Ho Tung said:

This enjoyable function is not the occasion for making a speech but, before calling upon Lady Ho Tung to present the prizes, I would like to take the opportunity of thanking you all for your support and to say how much the Society is indebted to those who have helped by the sale of tickets and propaganda, enabling us to maintain this our Carnival Ball. Particularly am I grateful to the Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer for the great amount of work they have done in connexion with the organization of this evening's event.

Our Society calls for the sympathetic support of all people, particularly as the methods of handling cattle in the Colony are far from satisfactory. You may not have noticed the prosecution recently against junk masters for dumping pigs into the water, and prodding and pulling them to the shore. The condition of almost all birds shot is also terrible, therefore, you must wake up and take an interest in the welfare of animals.

It is your Society's intention to intensify its efforts to reduce the cruelty at present existing, and to obtain for animals better conditions. Some may say what about the human element? All I would say in answer to that question is up and doing, let social service become a part of your life then both human and animal life will be beneficial.

## Prizewinners.

Lady Ho Tung presented prizes to the following:

Miss Kathleen Flaher, as "Odol," Miss Isabel Pestonji as "A Gentleman."

Mr. A. Dinnen as "A Lady," Mr. B. C. Field as "A Pirate."

Replying on behalf of Lady Ho Tung, Sir Shou-sun Chow, one of the oldest members of the Society, regretted that so few had come in fancy dress and hoped that next year there would be an increase.

The judges were Mrs. C. W. Jeffries, Mrs. F. H. Loseby, Mrs. Baker and Mr. D. Davies.

Among those present were parties of Sir Robert Ho Tung, Sir Shou-sun Chow and Lady Pollock.

## UNIVERSITY PIONEER.

## LOCAL ACTIVITIES OF SIR PATRICK MANSON

Particular reference to the activities of Sir Patrick Manson, the father of tropical medicine, in connexion with the Hongkong Medical School was made by Professor W. L. Gerrard, O.B.E., M.D., M.R.C.P., D.P.H., in a highly interesting and instructive address given at the first general meeting of the Hongkong University Medical Society in the Union As-

sociation.

Mr. Lim Gim-khong, Chairman,

presided, and was supported by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Ong Eu-

hiu. Among those present were Prof. W. Brown, Surg.-Lieut. C.D.

Prof. D. Le Labiliere, Dr. R. B. Jack-

son, Prof. L. J. Davies, Mr. C.E.R.

Clarabut and several local medical men.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WHAT IS EARNEST IS NOT ALWAYS TRUE; ON THE CONTRARY, ERROR IS OFTEN MORE EARNEST THAN TRUTH.—*Discriti.*

Tenders are being invited for the construction of a sewer in Repulse Bay Road from Wongneichong Gap to Island Road, and contingent works.

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. Leo D'Almada Castro, Jr., to be a Member of the Board of Education for a period of two years, vice Chevalier Jose Miguel Alves.

It is notified for general information that the following Chinese newspapers circulating in the Colony have been approved by the Secretary for Chinese Affairs pursuant to and for the purposes of sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Fraudulent Transfers of Business Ordinance, 1923.—Wah Kit Yat Po, Tuen Wan Yat Po, Wa Tsz Yat Po.

The wedding will shortly take place between Mr. Donald Britton Evans, solicitor, of 105, the Peak, and Miss Mary Gertrude Veronica Anne Butterfield, of 501, the Peak; and between Mr. Oscar Rumfahn Sadick, clerk in the employ of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, and Miss Anna Sonderman, 29, Hennessy Road, Hongkong.

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## THE FIGHTING IN JEHOL

## JAPANESE TRICKED INTO PASS

Peking, Mar. 3.

Although Japanese reports also positively claim that Lingyuan has been taken and Pingchuan entered, Chinese despatches to-night insist that Lingyuan has not yet been forced and claim that heavy fighting is proceeding in the region of Lingyuan and Yehphousou.

Both sides are attempting to sever the other's line of communications with further bombing of the road between Lingyuan and Pingchuan by Japanese planes.

According to Chinese reports, the Chinese lost 1,500 killed in yesterday's fighting, with further heavy casualties to-day.—Our Special Correspondent.

Events Moving Rapidly.

Peking, Mar. 3.

Reuter's special correspondent reports from Jehol that before proceeding to the front, General Tang Yu-lin, admitted that Lingyuan was surrounded on all sides by the Japanese troops and the position there was desperate. He said he wanted the world to know that he would fight to the finish. He declared that Manchukuo was hated there and would be resisted. He also asserted that the Japanese had been repelled from Chih-feng.

General Tang Yu-lin looks worn and tired.—Reuter.

Prices Rising.

Peking, Mar. 3.

With Lingnan and other places lost and Lingyuan surrounded, events appear to be moving rapidly in Jehol province. General Chang Hsueh-liang's troops here have created the best impression among the people. They behave well and pay for their food.

Prices are rising rapidly due to war conditions. Petrol is now \$16 a case. Cars here loaded with food for the front are unable to leave due to shortage of petrol.—Reuter.

Chinese Casualties.

Peking, Mar. 3.

The Chinese casualties at yesterday's fighting at Jehol are placed at 1,500 killed, and about 3,000 wounded.—Reuter.

Wily Ambuscade.

Peking, Mar. 3.

Bizarre events at Chihfeng are quoted in Chinese official circles here to-night as clearing up the mystery of Sun Tien-ying's supposed defection. According to the account given by a Tientsin Japanese newspaper, when the Japanese forces from Kaili were approaching the pass, one of Sun Tien-ying's subordinates, a brigade general named Shih Wen-hua, came forward expressing readiness to submit and inviting them to occupy the defences.

With this assurance, the Japanese vanguard entered the pass. Shih Wen-hua thereupon opened fire and a fierce engagement resulted in which Chinese reports assert, the Japanese cavalry suffered heavy losses.

Japanese reports state positively that Chihfeng has been occupied, but the Chinese declare fighting was still in progress this afternoon, extending as far as Fangshan, 25 miles away.

While Shih Wen-hua's stratagem was being enacted, Sun Tien-ying was unable to communicate with Peking owing to the telegraph wires being blown down by blinding snowstorm. Wireless was ineffective on account of a heavy bombardment. Later Sun Tien-ying got in touch with headquarters there, and attested his loyalty.—Our Special Correspondent.

Nineteenth Army.

Peking, Mar. 3.

Apparently no war in China is now complete without the famous.

## NAVAL ARRIVALS

## NEW COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF ON BOARD RANPURA

Vice-Admiral Sir F. C. Dreyer, K.C.B., C.B.E., who has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, succeeding Admiral Sir W. Howard Kelly, will arrive in Hongkong by the P. &amp; O. liner Ranpura on March 9.

Other naval passengers by the Ranpura include Capt. G. P. Thompson, O.B.E., appointed to H.M.S. Kent; Capt. A. U. Willis, D.S.O., appointed in command of H.M.S. Kent, where he will also be Flag captain Cmdr. D.N.C. Tufnell, D.S.C., Staff Officer Intelligence Afloat; Lt. Cmdr. F. B. Tours, Flag Lieutenant, H.M.S. Kent; Pay Cmdr. H. M. Horne, Secretary, H.M.S. Kent; Pay Lt. F. R. Mannin, H.M.S. Kent; Pay Lt. M. A. McMullen, H.M.S. Kent; Capt. R. B. Davies, V.C., D.S.O., D.F.C., to H.M.S. Cornwall; Major C. T. Brown, O.B.E., to H.M.S. Kent; Cmdr. F. C. Flynn, to H.M.S. Sandwich.

## EXCHANGE RATES.

March 2.

Paris.....\$6.15/16

Geneva.....17.50

Berlin.....14.15/32

Helsingfors.....220%

Oslo.....19%

Athens.....59%

Milan.....67%

Buenos Aires.....41%

Shanghai.....1.83/16

New York.....3.43%

Amsterdam.....8.48

Vienna.....30

Prague.....115%

Madrid.....41/16

Bucharest.....575

Hongkong.....1/3%

Brussels.....24.40

Stockholm.....18.87%

Copenhagen.....22.7/16

London.....110

Rio.....5%

Bombay.....1/6%

Yokohama.....1/2%

Montevideo.....30%

Montreal.....4.11/4

War Loan.....99.1/16

Belgrade.....250

Silver (spot).....17

Silver (forward).....17%

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## RADIO BROADCAST

## PROGRAMMES FOR THE WEEK-END.

From Z. B. W., on wave length of 350 metres (845 k.c.).

4-7 p.m. Chinese recorded pro-

gramme.

4-11.30 p.m. European programme.

18.12 Overture (Tchaikovsky).

Leopold Stokowski and the Phila-

delphia Orchestra. 7489/7600.

1.18 p.m. Selected London and New York

Stock quotations, etc.

1.30-8.30 p.m. Variety.

3 p.m. Local Time and Weather

Report.

Song—Give Her a Kiss.

Song—Say It Isn't So.

Song—Sam Coslow (Tenor). 24143.

Organ Solo—On the Road to

Mandalay.

Organ Solo—Sylvia.

Geste Crawford. 24032.

Song—Song of the Islands.

Song—Lei's Bula.

Mike Hanafi. 22348.

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**NEW CONCEPTION OF TENNIS****DAVIS CUP TEAM  
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HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB**

(By "Veritas")

A thousand tennis fans crowded the stand court at the Hongkong Cricket Club yesterday afternoon, and for two hours were held spellbound and fascinated by one of the most spectacular displays of tennis they have ever been privileged to watch.

They were there to study and revel in an exhibition by Jiro Satoh, H. Nunoi and E. Ito, the cream of Japanese tennis, and hailed as the most powerful combination ever sent from Japan to compete in the Davis Cup, and it is inconceivable that any one of them left the court disappointed.

The finest tennis ever seen in the Colony left as an indelible stamp on the memories of the spectators singles match between Satoh and Nunoi.

**NEW CONCEPTION.**

We, in Hongkong, who are somewhat out of touch with the rapid development of the modern game of tennis, were afforded a new conception of the high degree of artistry the game has now reached thanks largely to its ever-growing international characteristics. We were shown the need for perfection in touch, the necessity for complete physical fitness, and the methods used to obtain the greatest possible maximum of speed and accuracy with the minimum amount of physical expenditure.

We had glimpses of Wimbledon centre-court tennis, which means tennis at its very best.

**REMARKABLE DEVELOPMENT.**

Those who had never seen either Satoh or Nunoi in action before must have marvelled that such young players could attain the high standard they displayed, but others who remember their practices at the K.C.C., and the Club in 1931 and last year, must have equally marvelled at the phenomenally rapid development of the players during those two years.

Nunoi has in that interval, leapt from a young student of promise to the forefront of the world's leading exponents of tennis. Given eight months in Europe, and we shall see him holding his own against Vines, Cochet, Borotra, Austin, Perry and Crawford.

Satoh, who already have victories against several of these players to his credit, now only one, over Nunoi yesterday; his ground strokes were more consistent. Those deep drives on both hands which found the baseline and corners with unerring accuracy paved the way for most of his points.

**THE KILL.**

Yet Nunoi revealed the greater amazing shots. Nunoi's service, his volleys and more particularly his smashing, were definitely superior to those of his compatriot.

His overhead work was probably the finest ever seen in Hongkong. It eclipsed that of the Frenchmen in 1929. No matter from what part of the court, he killed to make a return impossible.

Satoh was more subtle, backhand up a glittering array of ground strokes, with glorious drop and drag volleys which called for perfect timing and absolute control.

**NO SPIN STROKES.**

Probably the most prominent feature of the players was their total disregard of chop and spin strokes. They met the ball flat racket, with an occasional suspicion of top spin. Students of the game must also have found much to interest them in their footwork, the use of their body (which was brought into full use for ground strokes and volleying), and their intricate schemes for manoeuvring for position.

Ito, the youngest member of the party, who is making his debut in international tennis, is another of those young talented players whom Japan appears to be turning out year by year with the regularity of a clock.

Ito has strokes, confidence and unbounded enthusiasm. He also has a touch of genious and is bound to progress. He is keen on singles, and is, Satoh informed me, primarily a singles player. In view of this, and the fact that yesterday was his first game on grass, Hongkong, did not see him at his best as he figured in only one doubles match.

Nevertheless in that half an hour he gave a very fine exhibition, revelling in close quarter encounters with Nunoi, and not always coming off the worst. His volleying was clean and decisive and his smashing almost comparable to Nunoi.

At the moment his service is weak and his ground strokes inconsistent.

**THE LOCALS.**

On the whole the local players, S. A. and H. D. Rumjahn, E. C. Fincher and L. Goldman, performed creditably with and against the visitors.

**SCHOOL FOOTBALL****DIOCESAN BOYS BEAT CENTRAL BRITISH.**

The Diocesan Boys' School beat the Central British School a goal to nil yesterday. Neither side scored before the interval, but early in the second half Simeos shot home from a free. Phillips was outstanding for Central British and E. Barker and Wong Yuk-tin were prominent for the winners.



CHARACTERISTIC strokes by Jiro Satoh, the Japanese tennis star, who gave a fine exhibition in Hongkong yesterday.

**MAMAK FIXTURES****BIG LIST OF MATCHES FOR MARCH****Full Programme**

By "Bully Of"

Below are the Mamak fixtures for the current month. There are a number of vacant dates and have been asked to remind clubs that the tournament closes on March 31.

**MARCH 1ST.**

Wishart Vs. 20th Bty. Kings Park 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 2ND.**

24th Bty Vs. 1st H.K.S. Marina 4.30 p.m. Police Vs. St. Andrews Marina 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 3RD.**

Tamar Vs. Wishart. Kings Park 4.30 p.m. Incognitos V. 12th Bty. Caroline Hill 6.10 p.m.

**MARCH 4TH.**

Radio Vs. 1st H.K.S. Bde. Marina 4.15 p.m.

**MARCH 5TH.**

Varsity Vs. Parthian. Naval 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 6TH.**

Phoenix Vs. Veteran. Naval 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 7TH.**

1st H.K.S. Vs. Germans Marina 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 8TH.**

Tamar v. St. Andrews. King's Park 5. p.m.

**MARCH 9TH.**

Signals Vs. 1st H.K.S. Marina 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 11TH.**

1st. H.K.S. Vs. Incogn. Marina 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 12TH.**

Veteran Vs. St. Andrews. Naval 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 14TH.**

Tamar Vs. Parthian. King's Park 4.30 p.m. Police Vs. 1st H.K.S. Marina 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 15TH.**

German Club Vs. Wishart. Naval 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 19TH.**

Varsity Vs. Veteran. Naval 4.30 p.m.

**MARCH 27TH.**

Tamar Vs. Veteran. King's Park 4.30 p.m. R. E. Vs. 20th Bty. S'pore 4.15 p.m.

**MARCH 28TH.**

St. Andrews Vs. 1st H.K.S. Marina 4.30 p.m.

**WEEK-END HOCKEY****TEAMS FOR TO-DAY & TO-MORROW**

The R.A.S.C. meet the "C" Company 3rd/6th Jat Regiment in the replay of the semi-final of the Small Units hockey competition on Monday, and they will be represented by W. E. Funnell; J. H. Jeffers and G. Whitley; T. O'Conner; G. Evers-Buckland; and A. C. Keene; P. J. Barlow; H. A. Tippins; P. H. Senior; T. H. Sprin and W. Gray.

The University eleven to oppose H.M.S. Parthian in the Mamak League on the Naval Ground on Sunday at 4.30 will be—P. G. Tang; C. M. Ho and A. J. Basto; L. Oliveira; E. L. Gozane and E. L. Foo; T. W. Joh, R. Woolley, D. de Sousa, A. A. Aziz and S. A. Reed.

The Club de Recreio and the Borderers meet in a friendly hockey match at the U.S.R.C. on Monday next, when the Recreio will field the following team:—A. Silva; A. Remo; and P. N. Silva; J. Goncalves; W. Reed, and A. A. R. Botelho; C. D'Almada, J. Pintos, H. Alves; C. Roza-Pereira and C. Sousa.

**MAMAK RESULT.**

In a Mamak tournament game at King's Park yesterday the Wishart defeated the Tamar by two goals to one.

At the interval the winners lead by one goal to nil scored by A. B. Nurrell. Early in the second half they increased their lead Nurrell again netting, but before the end the Tamar reduced the lead when Brokenshire scored.

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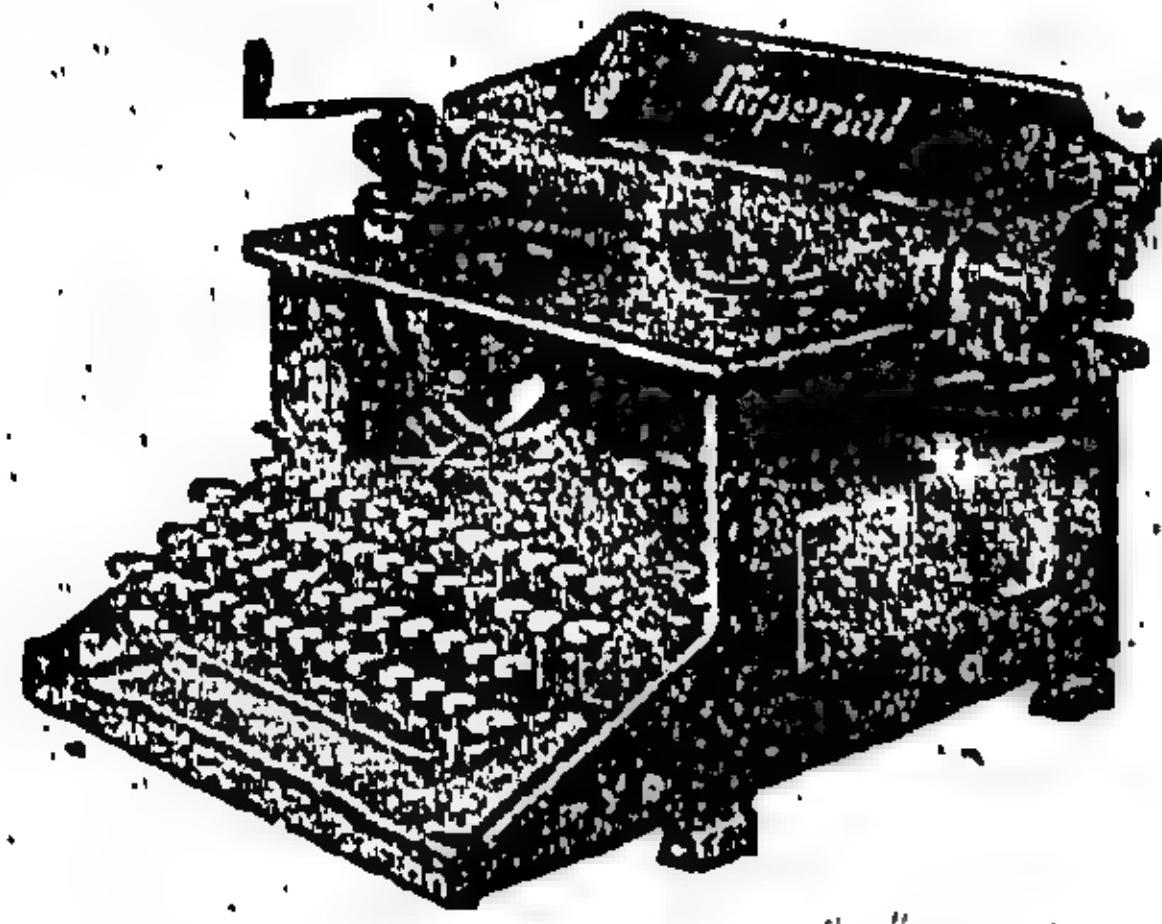
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The annual sports meeting of the Ellis Kadoorie School for Indians was held yesterday afternoon on the Indian Recreation Club ground. There were over 20 events on the programme which was carried out without a hitch. Several close finishes provided plenty of excitement for both competitors and spectators alike.

At the conclusion of the sports, Mrs. Sutherland, wife of Mr. A. R. Sutherland, Inspector of English Schools, distributed the prizes. In asking her to do so, Mr. W. L. Handyside, the Headmaster, thanked her and Mr. Sutherland for so kindly attending the meeting. The Indian Recreation Club for the loan of their ground, and Mr. M. A. Khan for his capable organization of the function.

The full results were as follows: High Jump (Senior).—1, Bhagwan Singh; 2, Mohamed Usuf; 3, Moninder Singh (Def.).—1, R. M. Bux; 2, Usuf Wahab; 3, M. B. Hassan. Three Legged Race (Sr.).—Mohammed Usuf and Narayan Singh; 2, Subul Ibrahim and S. M. Bux. Three Legged Race (Jr.).—1, Tipu and Deo Raj; 2, O. Talip and M. B. Hassan.

100 Yards (Sr.).—1, Ali Mohamed; 2, S. M. Abdul Rahman; 3, Jindeb Singh.

200 Yards (Jr.).—1, O. Talip; 2, R. M. Bux; 3, K. M. Rumjahn.

Fording the River (Sr.).—1, Kasim Ali; 2, Mohamed Usuf.

Fording the River (Jr.).—1, Ali Ahmed; 2, Dawood Ahmed.

220 Yards (Sr.).—1, Darshan Singh; 2, Ali Mohamed; 3, S. Hassan.

220 Yards (Jr.).—1, O. Talip; 2, B. Abbas; 3, M. B. Hassan.

Throwing the Cricket Ball.—1, Darshan Singh; 2, A. R. Khan; 3, Mohamed Cassim.

Class 8 Race.—1, Jagat Singh; 2, K. M. Rumjahn; 3, Abdullah Ali.

Small Boys' Race.—1, M. Seenan; 2, Mukl Jan; 3, A. S. Din.

Half Mile Race (Sr.).—1, Jinder Singh; 2, Ali Ahmed; 3, A. H. Abbas.

Quarter Mile (Jr.).—1, R. M. Bux; 2, O. Talip; 3, M. B. Hassan.

Class 7 Race.—1, Ismail Ali; 2, Mohamed Usuf; 3, O. A. Hassan.

Arithmetical Race.—1, A. R. Khan; 2, Bhagwan Singh; 3, S. Hassan.

Arithmetical Race (Jr.).—1, Manchi Puri; 2, Mohamed Curreem; 3, Aland Din.

Masters Race.—1, Mr. Bishen Singh; 2, Mr. Abdullah.

One Mile.—1, Darshan Singh; 2, Jinder Singh; 3, A. R. Khan.

Old Boys' Race.—1, A. Hassan; 2, Ishaum Ahmed.

Consolation Race.—1, James Dass; 2, Hussain Ali.

Senior Championship.—Ali Mohamed.

Junior Championship.—R. M. Bux.

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### TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

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**CINEMA SCREENINGS****NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES**

William Powell, now appearing in "High Pressure" at the Queen's Theatre, made his first screen appearance as the villain in "Sherlock Holmes" with John Barrymore. From then on he remained in films with brief returns to the stage. Amongst his early screen successes were "When Knighthood Was in Flower," "The Bright Shawl" and "Romola." Since then he has steadily won favour in many films, in which he was either the suave man of the world or the tattered outcast. It was the advent of talking pictures which, by adding the magnetism of the voice to his other talents, made his rise to stardom swift and sure. "High Pressure" presents him in a breathtaking comedy characterisation as a blue sky stock salesman, and wildest promoter, who hits the high spots of the Big Town, and whether drunk or sober, is nonchalant and enthusiastically on the lookout for new adventures. Quite different from earlier portrayals, the Gar Evans of Mr. Powell is an actionful portrait, the sort that we all like. Those who support William Powell in "High Pressure" are Evelyn Brent, George Sidney, John Wray, Guy Kibbee, Evelyn Knapp, Polly Walters and Ben Alexander. The breath-taking travesty on modern bucketeering methods was directed by Mervyn Le Roy.

**"Chandu The Magician"**

Edmund Lowe, in the title role of "Chandu The Magician", radio's favourite entertainment, appears in the Fox Film version of the famous mystery drama at the King's Theatre. In addition to Lowe as Chandu, the large cast also includes Béla Lugosi as Roxer; Irene Ware as Princess Nadji; Herbert Mundin as the comical cockney, Miggins; Weldon Heyburnas the cunning Abdullah; June Viles as Betty Lou, and Henry B. Walthall as Regent, the inventor. Two superb actors, with many splendid achievements to their credit, Lowe and Lugosi, are said to create a pair of real-life characterizations entirely in keeping with the radio serial upon which the stirring drama is based. Lowe easily tops his former role of magician in "The Spider", while Lugosi, with his slinking shadows and staring eyes, is more sinister than in "Dracula".

**"Sherlock Holmes"**

"Sherlock Holmes", the new Fox picture, based on one of Conan Doyle's most thrilling tales, comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday, Clive Brook, who plays the great detective, finds himself in conjunction with Scotland Yard, pitted against the arch criminal, Moriarty, and a band of gangsters recruited from both sides of the Atlantic. How Moriarty sets his traps, which are quickly sprung by Holmes, and how the detective exterminates the gang and sends Moriarty to the death cell, form the basis of what is said to be one of the most thrilling and exciting screen dramas ever produced. Miriam J. Cordan, English stage beauty, who made her film debut in "Six Hours To Live", opposite Warner Baxter and John Boles, enacts the leading feminine part, sharing the romantic interest with Brook. Ernest Torrence, outstanding in menace parts, portrays the role of Moriarty. Reginald Owen, distinguished English actor, well known on both the stage and dramatic production of rare charm.

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Below the main building—on either side, are two covered in loggias for the use of patients, with servants' quarters, bathrooms and kitchens. The building has been kept in conformity as far as possible with the rest of the hospital except for the outside finish, and it is hoped at some future time that the other hospital buildings may be finished with granite concrete to present a uniform appearance, as well as to preserve the older buildings.

**The Operating Table.**

The sterilizing is done in a separate room so that one is not troubled with the steam and heat from that source. Most of the equipment of the theatre including the operating table is stainless steel or chromium plated steel. The operating table itself, claimed to be at least as modern and up-to-date as any other in the Colony, has cost £250. A system of gadgets has made it adjustable to every angle. The overhead lights, by a system of reflections, cast no shadow.

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Dr. J. H. Montgomery is the Medical Superintendent in charge. **History of Hospital.**

The special Anniversary Report issued in the form of a brochure with pictures of the Hospital and of the new block, gives the history of the Hospital since its opening on January 27, 1907, by Mr. E. Hamilton Sharp, a brother of Mr. Granville Sharp, whose munificence had made the scheme possible.

Mr. V. M. Grayburn is the present Senior Trustee of the Institution, succeeding the late Sir Paul Chater. In addition to the Medical Superintendent, Dr. Montgomery, eight nurses are now maintained on the staff. During the quarter-century of the hospital's existence, a total number of 5,304 cases have been admitted as inpatients, of these 2,098 being male patients and 3,106 female. The maternity department has dealt with 476 cases, and major operations performed total 702.

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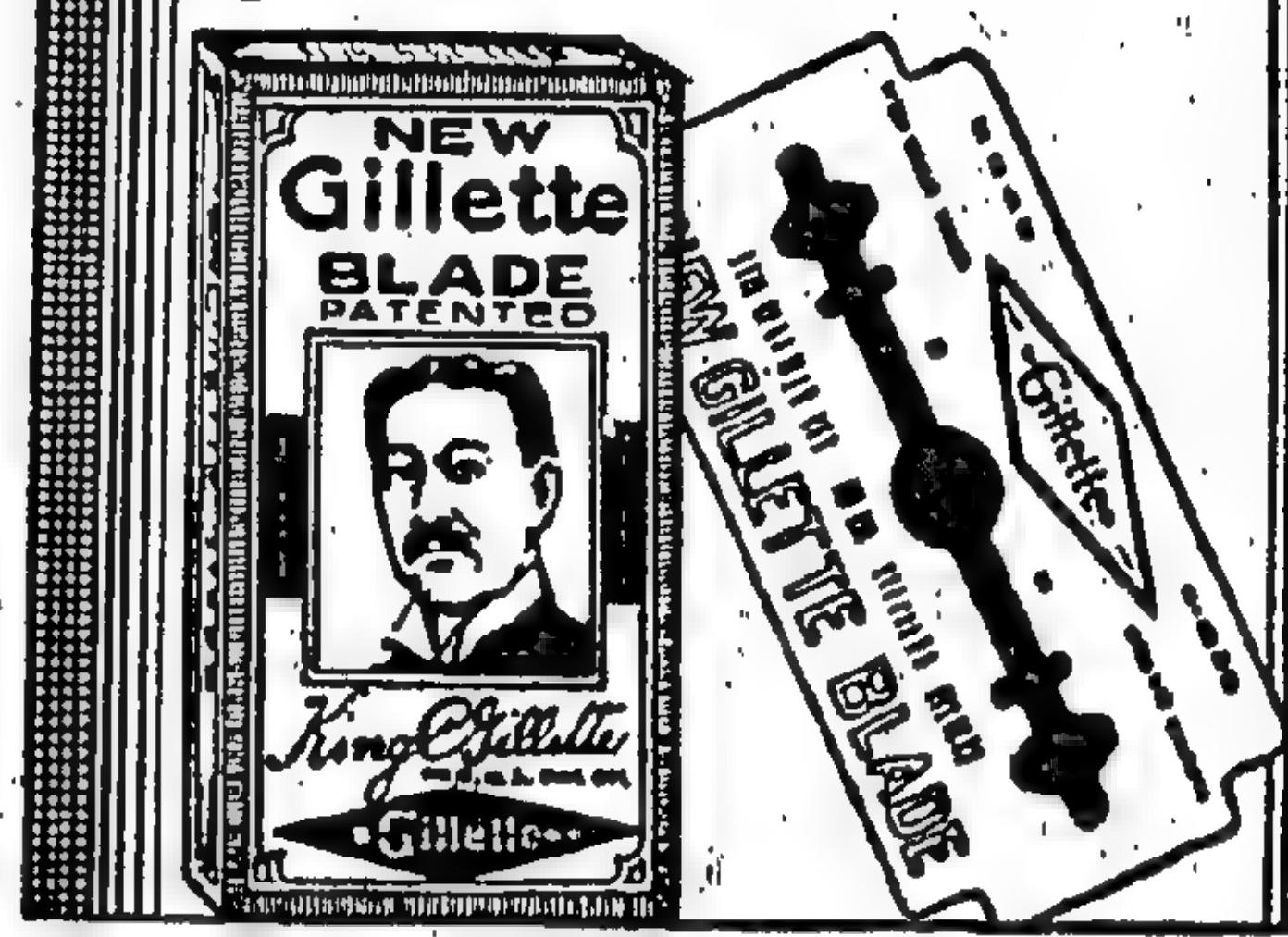
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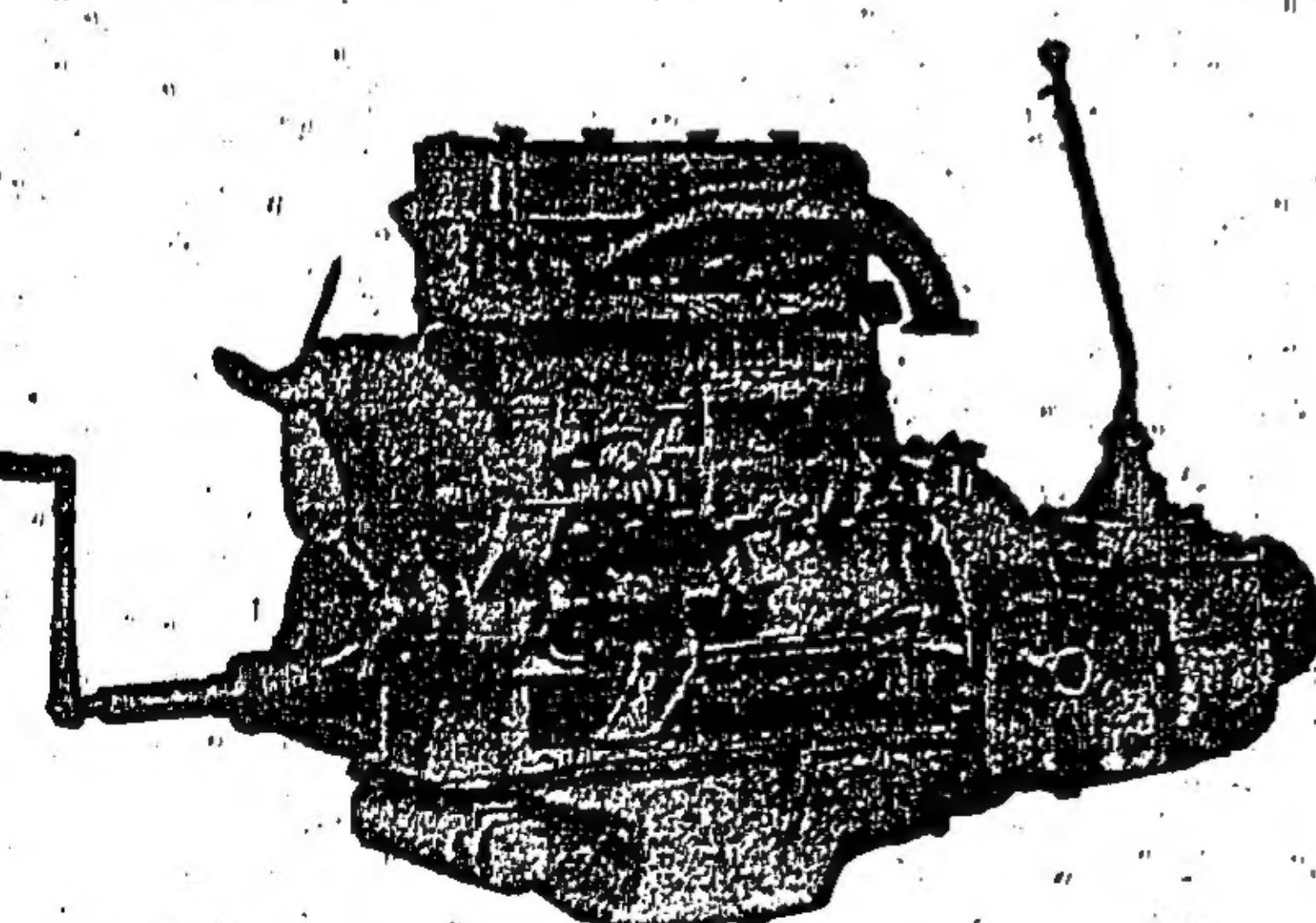
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Prior to the main function, the President of the Society, Mr. J. Scott Harston, entertained his many guests in the Bootham Bar, where hors d'oeuvres and cocktails were served.

Among those seated at the President's table was His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., Patron of the Society, and Lady Peel, Mr. J. Scott Harston, the President of the Society, Mrs. Scott Harston and Miss Pamela Scott Harston, the Chieftain of St. Andrew's Society and Mrs. Craig, the President of St. George's Society, and Mrs. and Miss Dowbiggin, the President of St. Patrick's Society and Mrs. Redmond, Mr. R. R. Davies, the President of St. David's Society, T. E. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Duxbury, Mr. M. H. Turner, Lt. Stannard, R.N., Lt. Hope, Squadron Leader Alford, R.A.F., Mr. and Mrs. B. Wylie, Miss Rosalie Alabaster, Mr. and Mrs. Bearley, Mr. Hancock, Mr. Ferguson, Miss Ainslie Halifax, Capt. Mould, R.A., Mr. Pilcher, Mr. Alec Pearce, Mrs. Pearce, Capt. Walter, A.D.C.

A large symbolic spray of white roses had a place of honour on the President's table.

The toast of His Majesty the King was proposed by H. E. the Governor, and was followed by the toast "Prosperity to the Society of Yorkshiremen in Hongkong," proposed by the President of the Society.

#### The President's Speech.

Addressing the large gathering, Mr. J. Scott Harston said:

Your Excellency, ladies and gentlemen.—In rising to propose the toast of the Society, I desire in the first place to extend a hearty welcome to our guests, and particularly to the Presidents of the kindred Societies, who have honoured us by their presence here to-night.

Last year the felicitous task of proposing this toast fell upon the shoulders of our then President His Excellency Sir William Peel, and so meritoriously did he discharge it, that in following him this year, I feel as if I were about to undertake one of the "Labours of Hercules." I therefore ask for your kind indulgence in regard to my shortcomings.

I remember that at the commencement of his speech, His Excellency expatiated upon the various attributes which he described as being part and parcel of the Country of Yorkshire. While he was doing so, my energies were concentrated upon watching the countenances of our former lady committee member, Mrs. R. M. Dyer, and her husband, the illustrious Past Chieftain of Saint Andrew's Society—in regard to both of whom, I am sure I am correctly interpreting your feelings in saying that we one and all regret that they are not here with us to-night—and as I watched, I was amused to observe the expression of seraphic joy which overspread Mrs. Dyer's face as she gave a slight glance at her "worst half!"

Some few months later, I read in *The Times* a report of the speech delivered by Lord Moynihan at a luncheon given in his honour, as its new President, by the Society of Yorkshiremen in London.

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## YORKSHIREMEN MEET

(Continued from Page 11.)

a new Yorkshire bowler commenced operations—Makepeace and Hallows (Lancashire's then farfamed opening batsmen—regular heart-breakers for dislodgment) being at the wickets.

This new Yorkshire bowler was shaping well, sending down good length balls and varying his pace, so that, as beffited a new hand, he was treated with due respect. The Yorkshire spectator, greatly pleased, therupon remarked to his Lancashire friend "he frame's well does 'lad.' Suddenly the bowler gave vent to a stentorian shout "How's that?"—which appeal for "l.b.w." was promptly answered in the negative by the umpire—whereupon the Lancastrian (relying to the Yorkshireman's previous remark) said "Aye and e's been well brawt oop an' all!"

As you all know those who don't will shortly—Yorkshire possesses its own "National Anthem"—"On Ilkla Moor baht 'at." Such is its fame that it has, I understand, been translated into various foreign languages, so that its beauty and the salubrity of Ilkla Moor may be appreciated by all!

The characteristics of the inhabitants of Yorkshire are so thoroughly appreciated abroad that when a certain Foreign Minister was asked "When you next come to the Hague Conference, where would you like the British delegates to come from?" he called for a map, and on its production, enquired "Where is Yorkshire?" On being shown, he pointed his finger at Lands End!

The Famous Sauce.

In addition to its "National Anthem," Yorkshire is noted for its "Sauce." Now, I doant mean "lip;" I'm referring to summat else—it tickles yer tongue—you've all on yer non doubt seen t'advertisment scores o'times—"When yer honour's at steak try Yorkshire Relish!"

Attention was recently called to its merits by questions asked in the House of Commons upon the complaint of a Member with reference to some sauce of foreign origin which was being served there—the questioner stating that better sauce could be obtained from Yorkshire.

Great local rivalries obtain in Yorkshire, as in other Countries—particularly this is the case with regard to Leeds and Bradford, which, as you know, are only ten miles apart. Both are "Cities"—Leeds having obtained that rank a few years ahead of Bradford, but this fact "cuts no ice" with those who favour Bradford, as is illustrated by what happened when a stranger who happened to be in Stanningley—situated about half way between the two cities, but a little nearer to Bradford than Leeds—and who, desiring to take the tram to Leeds, enquired from a Stanningley man whether a car marked "City" would take him there. The Stanningleyite took his pipe from his mouth, paused a moment, and slowly answered "Nah I'll just try to explain things, seeing as tha seems to be a stranger to these parts. Rahnd abant ere there's trams and buses for all sorts of places like. There's Leeds, Cleckheaton, Dewsbury, Uddersfield, Alifax and so on, but in Yorkshire, if ever there's a tram just marked "City"—that's Bradford!"

Before I conclude, I would like to refer to the fact that as its new Vice-President, our Society has got a gentleman who hails from Batley. You're all, no doubt, heard of Batley—it's a suburb of Morley! the native town of the late Lord Oxford and Asquith, but that fact does not constitute Batley's only claim to fame, as far back as the year 1885 their rugger team (known as "The Gallant Youts") won the Old Yorkshire Challenge Cup by beating Manningham in the

final round by 8 touchdowns to 2. I remember it well. And in 1897 (the first year of the Northern Union Challenge Cup Competition) they beat St. Helens (Lancashire) and won the Cup by a dropped goal and two tries to one try. I was present at the match.

I must add that I think the Society is to be congratulated on obtaining Mr. Brearley as its Vice-President. He's the Manager of the Chartered Bank, and if we find we need any money I'm sure he'll let us have all we want at a very low rate of interest on the Secretary's "Note of Hand" because t'Chartered Bank's gotten so much money, they doant know wot to do wif it!—which remarks, I think, form a fitting prelude to the Toast—"Prosperity to the Society of Yorkshiremen in Hongkong," which I now beg to propose.

The toast was duly honoured, with the usual enthusiasm.

## Cabaret Programme.

Dancing, interspersed with items by Mrs. Joan Tetley and Messrs. J. Scott Harston, A. R. Brown, J. H. Shaw, and W. Stoker, was indulged in during dinner and until 1 a.m., the music being provided by the Revellers Dance Band.

The cabaret programme concluded with "Ilkla Moor Baht 'At," sung by Messrs. A. R. Brown, J. H. Shaw and W. Stoker, the guests joining heartily in the refrain.

Considerable ingenuity was displayed by the compiler of the printed programme, the menu portion being set off with typical vernacular humour.

## The Menu.

Bootham Bar Cocktails.  
Aw'm thinkin' it's a good job we didn't visit all the bars.  
Hors d'Oeuvres.  
T'samples, war a bit small like, whear's t'scan?  
Grape Fruit A La Stodiffe.  
Yon's a big 'it, aw'll be bun.  
Clear Turtle Soup A La Bradford Beck.  
Strong cuij. to turn t'urts.  
Scarborough Tunny Fish.  
They call it Garoupa in these ere parts.

## Verity Snipe.

'E got t'bird down under.  
Roast Ribs Wi' Squares O'Yorkshire  
Let thi' meat stop thi' mouth.  
Selby Spuds: Pickling Peas:  
Tadcaster Tomatoes.  
Fill up P'orners' lad; tha's nowt much else.

Asparagus A La Bowes.  
Bonth teks a bit o' anding.  
Peach Maurice.  
Yon's nobbut 'okey pokey wi' a swanky name.

## Dessert.

Sithee, t' President's bahn te say summatur.

## Coffee.

'E fair cop'd. t'lot wi' is spaiting.

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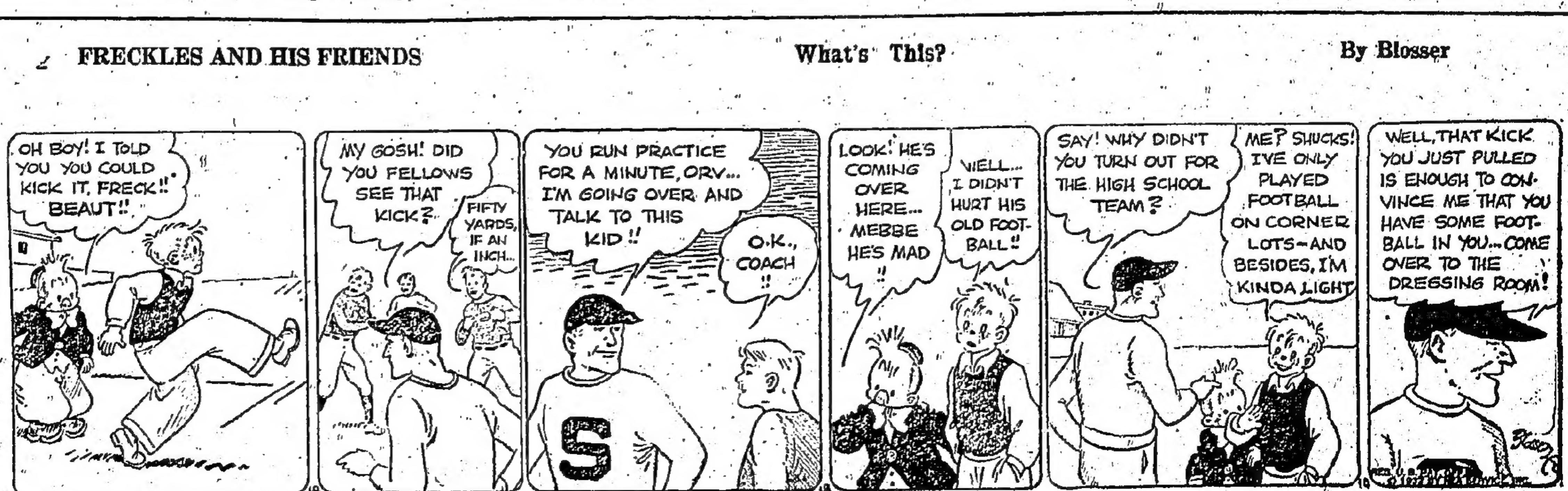
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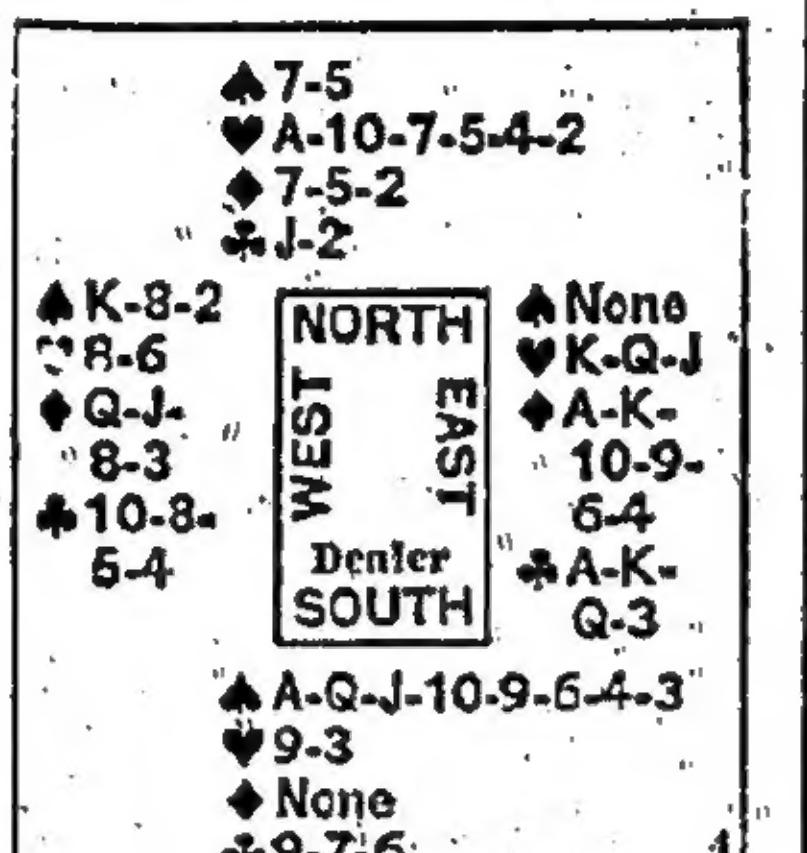
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How to handle the situation when an opponent opens with a pre-emptive bid and you hold an exceptionally strong hand is always a problem.

Mrs. Edmund Neil and her partner, Mr. Porter Walley, met the situation with a very fine bid—a bid that is a fine weapon when properly used. However you must be very careful not to abuse the bid.



## The Bidding

Both sides were vulnerable and South, the dealer, who held eight spades, started the contracting with a bid of four spades.

This is a pre-emptive bid and does not invite a response from partner—on the contrary, it is a definite attempt to shut out not only the opponents, but your partner as well.

Personally, I seldom use the pre-emptive bid as I hesitate to make any bid that will definitely shut out my partner. However, the bid of four spades was made and that is the situation which confronted Mrs. Neil, who sat in the East, when it was her turn to bid.

If she doubled four spades, her partner would naturally take it to mean a business double, therefore a double was out or the question.

Mrs. Neil well realized that South had made the bid of four spades because he held one extremely weak suit and was endeavouring to keep his opponent from bidding that suit.

Generally a pre-emptive bid in one major is made to shut out the other major, therefore Mrs. Neil felt that perhaps she and her partner had a heart bid. However Mrs. Neil could not be expected to bid five hearts with only a three-card heart suit over a four-spade bid.

She held two strong minor suits. A natural overall would be to bid five diamonds—but remember, with her hand she could support hearts, or play the hand at clubs or diamonds. Mrs. Neil now made use of a very fine bid—she overcalled with four no trump.

Supposing that you held the West cards and this declaration came to you—would you not reason it out in the following manner?

Certainly partner cannot play a hand at four no trump when the South player has stated that all his strength lies in one suit—and that suit is extremely long. Isn't it natural to assume that she is

asking you to name your best suit?

In other words, she was afraid to double, fearing that instead of being an informative double you would interpret it as a business double. This overcalling of a pre-emptive bid with no trump is a natural bidding convention that was introduced last year and is now generally used in all systems.

Mr. M. Porter-Walley, sitting in the West, after his partner over-called with four no trump, bid five diamonds. North passed.

Mrs. Neil now knew that her partner held at least four diamonds. She holds six, and even though he holds only four diamonds to the eight spot it would be necessary to find three diamonds to the queen in the South hand in order for her to lose a diamond trick.

It looked as though the only trick that Mrs. Neil had to lose was a heart. If her partner holds three clubs, the fourth club can be ruffed in dummy, while if her partner holds four clubs it is only natural to expect the club suit to break. Therefore, Mrs. Neil now bid six diamonds.

The hand is a spread, as only one heart trick must be lost.

After the pre-emptive bid of four spades by South it is indeed rather difficult for East and West to get into a six diamond contract with any other bid than the overall of four no trump. However, while this overall of no trump worked very well, be sure that you hold the proper type of hand before making that declaration.

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The prisoner, Fong Kam-ho was found early this morning by a warden suspended by his powers from the rails of his cell in the remand prison, to which he had been committed yesterday following his appearance before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Central Police Court on a charge of causing grievous bodily harm to Lai-Sai-ko.

The two men were involved in a quarrel over some work on Monday morning, when the alleged assailant produced a razor and inflicted a severe injury to his victim's throat.

When the assailant was brought before the Magistrate it was intimated that the victim was still in a serious condition and the probability of dying depositions having to be taken was mentioned.

## TRADE RECOVERY

### RESTRICTIONS ON EXCHANGE

London, Mar. 3. The urgency of effecting modifications in exchange restrictions which are one of the main handicaps to trade recovery, was again emphasised in a speech by Mr. Stanley Baldwin at a luncheon during his visit to-day to the Birmingham Section of the British Industries Fair.

Mr. Baldwin is the ministerial head of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research and during his visit to the London Section of the Fair yesterday at Birmingham to-day he displayed special interest in the exhibits of goods in the production of which scientific research by the department had been of service.—British Wireless.

### GOODS SALE CLAIM.

#### ELECTRIC LIGHT BULB DISPUTE SETLED

At the Supreme Court yesterday afternoon before the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) Mr. C. D'Almada,

on behalf of the Nam Fat firm of Shamshui Po, successfully claimed from the China Metal Manufacturing Co., Ltd., the sum of \$220 in connexion with the sale and delivery of 10,000 electric light bulbs.

Mr. F. C. E. Rendall. (Messrs. Russ

## ARGENTINE AND BRITAIN

### TRADE DISCUSSIONS PROGRESS

London, Mar. 3. Trade negotiations which are proceeding between representatives of the United Kingdom and Argentina are conducted by three sub-committees dealing respectively with the export of goods from Argentina to the United Kingdom, export from the United Kingdom to Argentina, and exchange restrictions.

The matters under discussion by the sub-committees on exchange include possible steps that can be taken for freezing next at least of the frozen peso credits in Argentina, with a view to resuming the recovery of the normal flow of funds between the two countries.

While no decisions are to be expected for some time, in view of the complex questions involved, progress is being made, and meetings of the three sub-committees will be continued next week.—British Wireless.

and Co.) appeared for the defendants, and Yung Yee-chung, sales manager, stated that the goods were delivered to his firm and sent to Macao. They were returned from Macao as not fit for use and 7,197 were returned to the plaintiffs on July 18th. The plaintiffs had denied receipt.

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## FIFTY MILLION FRENCHMEN

TO-DAY  
ONLY

## WORLD

At 2.30, 5.15,  
7.15 & 9.20

HELEN TWELVETREES  
in

## "MILLIE"

TO-DAY

ONLY

TO-MORROW

ONLY

TO-THEATRE

ONLY

TO-NIGHT

ONLY

TO-THE